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NOVEL! NOVELS!—Novels at price. Books bought, sold and exchanged. School books cheap. Day papers and Bary. Sampson's Book Exchange, 81 Douglas. Jell-1t.

SPIRITISM. The First R.C. Society of Spirits will hold a meeting in Pioneer Hall, at 8 o'clock, Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Jell-1t.

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RELIGIOUS LECTURE ON SPIRITUALISM AND THEOSOPHY, BY THE

Engli Spiritual Mediums,

AT VICTORIA THEATRE TO-NIGHT, JUNE 11

A special cement has been made with Dr. and K. and the World's Greatest Mediums and Theosophists, who will give one of their lectures on Spiritualism, also display their wonderful illustrations of Mind-Reading, thought, Victor Theatre to-night. Upon this evening, Mr. and Mrs. K. will introduce some things never before given on any public stage. Who ever they have appeared, their lectures have been very enthusiastic and have been well received. Their various mediums are sent to be subject to any that have been in this city. As there will be a discussion for the evening the house will doubt be crowded to the doors.

TEACHERS were received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon, on the 20th June next, for the living work at the Artillery Barracks, Wharfedale, grading, metalling and graveling road, parade ground, construction of crib wall, protect water front.

Plans and specifications may be seen at this office between 10a. and 1 p.m. daily.

The lowest tender need not necessarily be accepted.

J. G. HOLMES,
Lieut.-Col. R.C.A.
Commandant's office, June 10, 1893. Jell-1t

AUCTION SALE
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14, 1893,
AT 10 P. M.

UNDER DISCOUNT FOR RENT

The Victoria Auction Company have received instructions to sell their rooms, 81 Douglas Street, to the highest bidder. Fine Piano, by Williams & Co. 1st. Bed room Furniture, and various other articles.

TERMS—CASH.

W. T. HARDY, AUCTIONEER.
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Hotel Victoria Menu.

Those who want a dinner to-day will appreciate the following menu for the Hotel Victoria:

JUNE 11, 1893.

DINNER.
Sole.
Mulligatawny. Potage Colbert.
Fish.
Boiled Halibut, a la Hogue.
No. 10. Potatoes.
Roast.
Calif. Head, Sauce Verte.
ENTREES.
Broiled Squabs, on Toast.
Spring Lamb's Chops, a la Marechale.
Grenadin of Veal, with French Potatoes.
ROAST.
Stuffed Turkey, Cranberry Sauce.
Ribs of Beef.
VEGETABLES.
Asparagus, Fried Egg, a la.
Mashed and Boiled Potatoes.
Lettuce Salad.
DESSERT.
Napollitan Ice-Cream.
English Plum Pudding, Hard Sauce.
Assorted Cakes.
Bananas. Oranges. Raisins.
Cafe Noir.
Dinner, including wine, &c. From 5:30 to 8 p.m.

No Scotch whiskey like it, Mackie's White Horse Cellar.

A WEEK'S ADJOURNMENT.

The Elopement of Merced Methodist Church Arraigned Before Mr. Justice Drake.

A Lawyer's Opinion of the Case—Particulars of the Departure From California.

Rev. Alfred R. Reams alias A. W. Furlong was arraigned for extradition before Mr. Justice Drake, in the Supreme court, yesterday morning, the crime charged being the abduction of Lucy Rucker from her home in Merced, California. Mr. Lindley Crease prosecuted, while Mr. J. Stuart Yates, of Yates, Jay & Russell, appeared for the defence, and offered no objection to the remand asked for. The case was accordingly laid over until Friday next, June 16, by which date it is expected that Sheriff Warfield will have arrived with the requisition from Governor Markham, of California. Although the case has not yet been gone into, members of the bar seem of the opinion that Mr. Reams has a good defence in law. The chief point rests in the difference between the California and the Canadian definition of abduction. According to the State law, Lucy Rucker was abducted, she not yet having reached her eighteenth year; but, according to the Canadian law, she was not abducted, sixteen being the age of consent—this is the argument in the defendant's behalf.

The case in which Mr. Reams and his companion have played so conspicuous a part has occasioned more than a common sensation in Merced and the surrounding country, and the circumstances of the elopement certainly are uncommon. On Sunday morning last Rev. Mr. Reams preached as usual in the North Methodist church at Merced, and about one in the afternoon started with a horse and buggy to fill an engagement at Atwater. Before leaving, he drove to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Rucker and asked permission to take Lucy with him to play the organ, remarking that Mrs. Reams was going, too. Mrs. Rucker gave her consent, and the couple started toward Atwater, though without Mrs. Reams, her place being taken by Willie Reams, the pastor's fourteen-year-old son. Arriving at Atwater, Rev. Mr. Reams informed the congregation assembled that he had just received a dispatch from Modesto, asking him to take charge of a funeral there. The matter was urgent, he explained, and the congregation excused him. With Miss Rucker and his son, he then started north by train, leaving the horse and buggy at Atwater.

Mrs. Reams, who is described as a handsome and popular woman of twenty-one, says that her suspicions were aroused in regard to her husband's actions several weeks ago, when she accused him of wrong-doing. He became very angry and, she declares, told her that if she dared to whisper her suspicions to anyone he would kill her. In an interview with an Examiner correspondent, Mrs. Reams announced that the present is not the first episode of the kind in which her husband has figured. At Chico, where he preached three years, he had an experience of a similar nature, which, while it did not go quite so far, served to disfigure him in the eyes of all who became aware of the facts. At Elmira, where he preached one year, he also passed under a cloud.

In planning his elopement with Miss Rucker, Mr. Reams appears to have displayed considerable caution. A few days before the departure from Merced he called at the law office of James F. Peck and secured the loan of statutes dealing with marriage, divorce, etc.—ostensibly to assist him in the preparation of a sermon on "Marriage and Divorce," but with which it is now supposed he wished to familiarize himself in order to keep within the law.

Miss Rucker is still in the hands of friends found for her by the police. She has got over her fit of the blues, and is bearing up well under the excitement and unpleasantness of the situation, though she feels keenly the restraint put upon her. She, with Willie Reams, the clergyman's son, continues to defend his actions, or rather palliate his conduct.

"The Methodist church at Merced is standing along under difficulties just as she said last evening. Only last night the wall fell in, and then the church was shipped and took the organist with him—I'm sure I don't know what they'll do."

"There is no truth whatever in Mrs. Reams' story that he abused her," she continued, "he is as kind a man as ever lived. She married him for his money, simply and solely; she told me that she never loved him and never could. I did not know anything of his affairs before he came to Merced, though my people knew of him. The trouble with his wife commenced long before they came to Merced and before I knew either of them. She wasn't the sort of woman for a minister's wife—never at home, and she most part of the time out walking with some of the young men. I don't think she can be right in her head—two of her brothers were in the asylum—and she almost drove her husband crazy."

"She speaks of his threatening to kill her. It was just the other way, for I heard her say she'd kill him. I was in the church and she was in the parsonage next door, scolding at him about me. If people knew the bitterness of both his life and mine for months past, I don't think they'd blame us so much."

"What are my plans? Well, I can't tell until I hear from Merced. I telegraphed to my cousin there, and I will make up my mind when I get an answer. I won't be able to say where I'll go till about the end of next week."

Miss Rucker's plan is evidently to remain with Mr. Reams in Canada in the event of his successfully fighting the extradition proceedings. Otherwise, as she told Master Willie yesterday, they will go back with Mr. Reams to California.

Little Willie Reams is now the lonely occupant of the rooms at the Doane block. He is a non-committal little chap, and cherishes no special regard for his stepmother.

"She wouldn't give father any peace," he said last evening. "If he was reading a newspaper she would tear it out of his hand and throw it away, and once I saw her throwing scalding water over him out in the yard. Then he did get angry and threw the broom back at her. That was long before he knew Lucy."

The story of how Reams was arrested is not uninteresting; Sergeant Walker, who

had charge of the case from the first, and who "spotted" the couple on the boat, gives particulars.

"I received the description from Consul Myers Wednesday afternoon," he says, "and went at once to the Kingston, where I picked them out. They were travelling then as Mr. Towle and wife. I followed them up to the Doane and found out that they had taken room 23, and then reported the case to the chief."

"When I went to make the arrest and Reams came to the door I was just a little puzzled, as he didn't look at all clerical. I decided to go slow, but as soon as I saw the little wen on the man's cheek I knew there was no mistake."

"I told him that I wanted him and what the charge was, and he at once proceeded to deny his identity, claiming that he was A. W. Furlong and nobody else. 'It's very funny,' he said, 'but I'm not Mr. Reams, although I may resemble him.'"

"I know the gentleman," he continued: "know him well. He is a clergyman in California, and officiated at my marriage. I have the certificate here," and he produced the Chico marriage certificate, made out in the names of Furlong and Miss Sprule, and signed by A. R. Reams.

"Reams," he added, "was in with me as partner in a little invention a few years ago."

"Well, I said, you had better walk around with me to the Chief's office and explain matters to him; your wife can accompany you. I knew he was the right man, but I didn't think it necessary to make a scene."

"And then the ridiculous happened. Volunteering to introduce me to his wife, and first asking my name, he presented the young lady, not as Mrs. Furlong, but, in his nervous excitement, as Miss Lucy Rucker. The cat was out of the bag, and he dropped the denial of identity."

SACRAMENTO, Cal., June 10.—Governor Markham to-day issued requisition papers to Sheriff Warfield, of Merced county, on the Governor of British Columbia, for the return of Dr. Reams, the eloping Methodist church minister, who deserted his family at Merced a few days ago and eloped with his organist, a girl of 18. Sheriff Warfield will leave on the Oregon express to-day for Victoria.

WASHINGTON'S DISASTER.

The Collapsed Building Known for Years to Have Been Utterly Unsafe.

Inquest on the Bodies and An Investigation As to the Accident.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—Architect Clark, who supervised the reconstruction of Ford's Theatre when the Government purchased it in 1890, said this morning that he considered the building safe. The fact that the four walls remain in their proper places demonstrates, he says, that they were stable, but the alterations being made were the cause of the catastrophe. Mr. Clark knows nothing about the supervision of the alterations, but says someone is guilty of criminal carelessness in not properly supporting the iron columns from the foundation. The records of the war department show that the collapsed building was for years officially known to be unfit for human occupation, by reason of not only its structural weakness, but also because of its defective sanitary condition. All of the employees in that section of the records and pension office that were quartered in the theatre building have been furnished until next Monday, when they are ordered to report for duty, if able to do so, and are also requested to bring such information as they have of the condition and whereabouts of the persons unable to report. Meanwhile a force of clerks has been detailed from the war department to search the ruins and to collect and assort the valuable pension and army files that are in the debris. Diligent efforts are being made by the War department to secure another building for the occupancy of the homeless records and pension force. Coroner Patterson and Deputy Coroner Schaffer are preparing to enter upon a thorough investigation on Monday morning, but as friends and relatives wanted to dispose of the bodies before that time, Dr. Patterson concluded to begin the inquest to-day and then adjourn the hearing until next week.

Secretary Lammot issued an official order, appointing a court of inquiry, to meet on the 12th inst., to investigate the management of the office of Col. Ainsworth, chief of the Record and Pension office, in so far as it may have had any connection with or bearing upon the disaster at the old Ford Theatre building. The court will also fully investigate all of the facts in the case, and will express an opinion as to who is responsible.

Though there are persons known to have been in the collapsed building still unaccounted for this morning, the reported death list is not increasing beyond the number given last night, namely, 22. One other death, that of A. N. Geralt, of New Jersey, is reported this morning, making the twenty-third in the list of dead.

Cholera Precautions.

LONDON, June 10.—President H. H. Fowler, of the local government board, has cancelled the summer leave granted to medical men attached to the local government board, and ordered unceasing watch kept at all British ports against the entry of cholera and other diseases until the end of September.

Northern Pacific.

Double trains daily to St. Paul, Milwaukee and Chicago without change of cars. Connects at St. Paul and Chicago for all points East and South. Superior Pullman sleepers, upholstered tourist cars and dining cars on all through trains. Direct service to the Yellowstone National Park. Fast time and all the reduced rates offered patrons of this line. For full information call at address E. E. Blackwood, ticket agent, Adelphi building, Victoria.

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Clearing out at cost at the White House.
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DOMINION DAY TRIP.

The Artillery Will Go to Vancouver—Immediate Enrolment of the New Company.

Scores of the Second League Match—A Fine Showing by New Westminster.



ARCHING orders to the British Columbia Battalion of Garrison Artillery for Vancouver, in celebration of Dominion Day, will no doubt soon be issued, for the necessary arrangements were practically completed yesterday, Capt. T. O. Townley, who has been the most active promoter of the trip having come over to Victoria for that special purpose. The general idea is that the Victoria companies will leave here by special boat on the evening of Friday, the 30th of June, accompanied by the band of C Battery, and that upon landing at Vancouver they will be met by the Westminster company and escorted to the camping ground. The battalion will have a parade and march past in Vancouver, and will fire a *feu de joie* at noon. Whether the Victoria companies will return the same evening or remain over Sunday is yet to be decided. That the trip has not been definitely announced before this has been due to the hesitation of the celebration committee in providing the necessary appropriation. The heaviest part of the expenses will fall upon the officers of the corps, and it is hoped that the grant to be made by the celebration committee will be a substantial one. The military parade in Vancouver is expected to be of material assistance in the formation of the company of the B.C.G.A. authorized for here. Capt. Townley has received authority to enroll the men for that company, and as he has been for some time a resident of Vancouver it is not improbable that on the enrolment being completed, he will be transferred from the command of his present company at Westminster to the new one. The promotion of the officers commanding companies to the rank of Major, will not be made until in each case the full strength of the new establishment has been enrolled.

C Battery band had made an engagement for Dominion Day before they were invited to accompany the Garrison Artillery to Vancouver, but arrangements are being made whereby they will be released so as to accommodate the volunteers.

Those members of the B.C.G.A. here who have been making default in their drills have been notified to parade in uniform before the commanding officer on Monday evening, when they will be required to explain the causes of their non-attendance.

THE LEAGUE MATCHES.

The second match of the Canadian Military R. League series of four was fought yesterday. The five Victoria teams of the B.C.G.A. and the civilian team of the Victoria rifle club turned out in full strength, the attendance showing a gratifying increase over that of the first day. The Young America has and a heroic, supplied by the Transfer Company, were the means of transport to the range, and the merry company made the drive to Goldstream a very pleasant one. The shooting was finished between seven and eight o'clock, and after the good supper, served at the Goldstream hotel, had been leisurely partaken of, the teams drove back to town. The scoring was very low, a gusty and constantly changing wind from the rear being the other cause than the want of practice, which is unavoidable so long as the local volunteers are without a range. That at Goldstream is not available except for the league matches, it being reserved as a neutral provincial range.

At Westminster two teams of the B.C. G. A. again turned out, but the second was unfortunately short two men, and has therefore a comparatively small total. The average of the two Westminster teams in both matches has been very creditable, and No. 1 seems very likely to carry off the highest honors of the season. Gr. Turnbull, of that Company, has a decided lead of the whole field, with an evenly compiled 89. In Victoria, Gr. A. S. Hunter and Sgt.-Sergt. J. C. Newbury badly distanced the other competitors; the former has been at the top in every shoot this season. The range officer at Goldstream yesterday was Capt. W. J. Quinlan. The following are the scores of the leading teams of Victoria and Westminster in their order:

	200	300	400	TL.
Gr. Turnbull.....	30	30	20	80
Gr. Sharpe.....	29	25	28	82
Gr. Cornish.....	28	33	20	81
Gr. Shout.....	29	29	19	77
Gr. Huston.....	29	26	21	76
Gr. Fletcher.....	32	23	18	73
Gr. Melvill.....	23	18	20	61
Sgt.-Maj. Davison.....	23	23	15	61
Gr. Arundel.....	25	19	18	62
Gr. McCune.....	22	6	25	53
Total.....	269	292	219	720

Battalion Team (Victoria)

	200	300	400	TL.
Gr. A. S. Hunter.....	29	28	30	77
Sgt. J. C. Newbury.....	27	29	17	73
Gr. A. R. Langley.....	25	17	22	64
Gr. D. Taylor.....	22	21	21	64
Gr. F. R. Sargison.....	24	23	17	64
Gr. G. R. McKell.....	27	18	18	63
Gr. J. L. Reckwith.....	25	21	15	61
Gr. W. H. McInnes.....	25	22	12	59
Corp. C. W. Newbury.....	21	23	10	54
Lt. B. Williams.....	21	14	11	46
Total.....	249	276	161	626

Victoria Rifle Club

	200	300	400	TL.
R. Butler.....	16	28	14	58
E. H. Fletcher.....	10	20	25	55
A. Martin.....	24	26	16	66
P. H. Gregory.....	19	22	22	63
F. Melvill.....	23	19	20	62
J. S. Bridgford.....	23	20	14	61
W. Prevost.....	20	18	21	59
F. Martin.....	26	21	6	53
G. Dunkin.....	24	13	15	52
Senator McInnes.....	23	12	6	41
Total.....	229	199	183	501

No. 1 Company, Westminster, 2nd team..... 430
No. 3 Company, Victoria..... 429
No. 2 Company, Victoria, 1st team..... 349
No. 3 Company, Victoria, 2nd team..... 319
No. 2 Company, Victoria, 2nd team..... 213

FROM VANCOUVER.

Test of Australian Fruit Consignments—Hydraulic Mining at Cayuse Creek—Telegraph Line to Kaslo.

VANCOUVER, June 10.—(Special).—The test of Australian fruits shipped by the Acclimatization society of Victoria, took place before the Mayor and a large number of citizens at Oppenheimers' warehouse this afternoon. The fruit was found to be in an excellent state of preservation.

Piles are being delivered by Contractor Hartney for the extension to the C.P.R. dock.

A great many quiet enquiries are being made for 264 A property. They are thought to emanate from the B. I. and F. V. R. R., who go through that section.

Messrs. McLean and Murray, the oarsmen, open the Pacific hotel to-day.

Mr. Wm. Chadsey reports the Fraser river lower by two feet than the lowest record last year, which was a very low year.

Capt. McLeod has been three months at Cayuse Creek Hydraulic mine, owned by the Enterprise Mining Co., of which he is a member. The captain returned to day, reports everything prospering, with prospects of large profits this year.

The Burrard gun club held their regular shoot this afternoon. A team will be picked to attend the match at Ladner's Landing on Monday.

The R.R. Association continued the competition this afternoon.

Mr. Abbott announces that he has been instructed by President Van Horne to proceed at once with the construction of a telegraph line from Revelstoke to Kaslo via Nakusp and New Denver, and from Kaslo to Nelson, following the shore of the Kootenay lake.

The Sumas dyking scheme is in active progress; \$300,000 will be spent, and 30,000 acres of land benefited. Mr. J. L. Atkinson is in Victoria communicating with Mr. H. B. Smith, C. E. in reference to getting out specifications and maps.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Proposal to Present Princess May With the Mammoth Cheese—The "Miwera's" Mails.

Principal Dawson to Resign—Military College Cadetships—Depletion of Canadian Game.

(From our own Correspondent.)
OTTAWA, June 10.—Dairy Commissioner Robertson suggests that the dairy maids of Ontario make the monster cheese a present to Princess May as a wedding gift.

From January the game laws of Manitoba and the Territories will be made applicable to two-thirds of the Indians under treaty. This action is necessary on account of the rapid depletion of game.

Hon. A. R. Angers, acting postmaster general, has requested the Canadian Pacific to hasten the Miwera's mails through with all possible speed.

Mr. Masson, M.P., is not likely to contest North Grey at the next election, but will be made a judge. David Creighton, of the Empire, will probably be his successor.

Ryan & Haney, contractors for the Soo canal, are making splendid progress with the work.

Twenty-five candidates have been entered for the Military College cadetships; nine from British Columbia and one from Manitoba.

A rumor is current here to-day that the Mayors of the leading Canadian towns will be knighted on the occasion of the marriage of the Duke of York with the Princess May, but it is generally discredited.

Samuel Rykman, member for Hamilton, is here to-day. He goes to British Columbia next week in connection with his mining interests.

Sir William Dawson, principal of McGill University, will probably resign his position next week on account of ill-health.

MONTREAL MATTERS.

MONTREAL, June 10.—(Special).—The latest development in the Clarenceville murder case is a law suit. The Free Press, published at Burlington, Vt., in a two column article, directly charges H. O. Eddy, of Montreal, with being the murderer. Mr. Eddy has instructed J. N. Greenshield, a prominent lawyer here, to bring an action for \$50,000 against that paper. Reports of suspicious circumstances and of suspicious characters still come from Clarenceville, but the tragedy is as much a mystery as ever.

The loss by the burning of the Ville Marie convent is estimated at a million and a half, to meet which there is only one hundred thousand dollars insurance. Fireman Dupont, injured by falling debris, died in the hospital to-day. The convent will be rebuilt.

The doctors this morning again found an improvement in the condition of Bishop Bond, who has made steady progress for several days.

George A. Mace, of the Star Collar Box Co., has assigned. Liabilities, \$20,000.

AMBASSADOR BAYARD.

SOUTHAMPTON, June 10.—Hon. Thomas F. Bayard, the first American ambassador to England, who arrived here to-day on the steamer Paris, from New York, was presented with an illuminated address by the Mayor and another by the President of the Chamber of Commerce, which alluded to the unique interest felt by Englishmen in the first American ambassador to come to their country and their confidence that his mission would serve to knit more closely the bands of cordial friendship already existing between the United States and Great Britain. Mr. Bayard replied; after returning thanks for the honor conferred, he said that altogether he felt the dignity and responsibility of his official designation. He valued them chiefly as the means to give him greater facilities, more perfectly to bring about a harmony of interests between the two great branches of the English speaking race, and trusted that he would be enabled to make his great office the means of removing any lingering suspicion or doubt, or misunderstanding, between the two countries.

Rapidly
andCanary Construction Being Pushed—
Valuable Dogs Poisoned
at Nanaimo.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

WESTMINSTER.

New Westminster, June 10.—Ald. Keary and Ald. Hey, Grand lodge representatives, A. O. U. W., leave for Toronto on Monday to attend the Supreme Grand lodge.

Work on the new canneries is being pushed, to have them in readiness for the sockeye run next month. Some of them have not their machinery in at present.

Large quantities of oats are being imported from the Northwest. The local supply has given out completely.

The water was higher here this evening than at any previous time this season.

The fishermen are holding a mass meeting at Stevenson's to-night to discuss Asiatic labor.

A sawyer at the Royal City mills named Alexander Johnson had his right hand nearly cut off to-day by a circular saw.

Market enlargement and cold storage was discussed to-night at a public meeting.

A telegram from Ashcroft says that the Fraser river has risen two feet at Quesnelle since yesterday. Heavy rains fell up north yesterday and to-day.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, June 10.—An excursion to Sechart, on the S.S. City of Nanaimo, is arranged for Sunday, 18th inst., under the auspices of the Silver Cornet band.

Yesterday and to-day were pay days for the employees of the New Vancouver Coal Company. Over \$100,000 was distributed amongst the men.

Mrs. C. Cornelius, spiritualist and clairvoyant, lectured in the Opera House this evening, to a fair audience.

Mayor Haslam, M.P., has received word from the Postmaster-General that Courtney is to have a post office. Frank Whitney, son of the proprietor of the Courtenay Weekly News, will be the postmaster.

W. J. Gallagher, who managed the defunct Telegram, Vancouver, is endeavoring to form a stock company to run a morning daily here. The business men generally are not anxious to invest in the newspaper business, previous experiences having been anything but satisfactory.

The local and district lodges of Knights of Pythias are making arrangements for visiting Victoria, Sunday, June 25, to take part in the Decoration Day ceremonies.

The trial of Louis Underwood for the murder of Johnny Hair-to-Kum still drags on, and will probably continue until Monday night at least. Mr. J. P. Walls, acting Crown prosecutor, has engaged Mr. C. H. Barker to assist in the conduct of the case.

The funeral of the late David Jones, who died at Northfield, on Friday morning, takes place to-morrow afternoon.

A sale of work, for two successive days and evenings, commences on Tuesday, June 13, in the Division block, under the auspices of the ladies of the Presbyterian church.

In the Assize court the murder trial was continued, and adjourned at 4 o'clock till Monday morning.

Four valuable prize dogs, belonging to Charles Dempster, auctioneer, have been poisoned, the celebrated Clarendon Garry being among the victims. A hundred dollars reward is offered for the conviction of the miscreants.

VERNON.

(From the News.)

A rich strike was made recently in the Summit mine on Palmer mountain showing \$500 in sixty-two pounds of rock.

Mr. Sharpneck will shortly commence dropping stamps in the little mill owned by him. He intends prospecting a number of claims in camp.

The Strathgery Mining Co. started their quartz mill last week. They are taking out some good ore from the Wide West and Brown Bear mines.

Fairview camp is improving gradually. Nearly all the claims are showing up well.

The C.P.R. work gang are putting in piles at the wharf for the accommodation of the steamer Aberdeen.

The job of cutting hay on the Mackay estate this summer has been taken by Caruthers & Ellis at \$2.50 per ton.

The high water at the Mission has caused much inconvenience to the residents and the roads have suffered badly.

The work on the road from Camp Fairview to Pentiction has improved it very much.

The foundation of the Methodist church at Kenby is laid and the greater part of the lumber is laid down.

The steamer Aberdeen started on her trial trip yesterday. Superintendent Macle and Downie were present, and also Mr. L. R. Johnston, master mechanic.

Simmons Bros. have secured the contract for carrying the mails to White Valley. They will run a stage weekly, every Saturday morning at 8 o'clock, and returning leave Lumbly about 2 o'clock, p.m.

Soton Kerr left on Saturday hunting for bear up White Valley.

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

News of the Royal Arthur Received.—The Tacoma's Large Cargo.

The N. P. R. steamship Tacoma departed for China and Japan at 7 o'clock last evening, carrying 1,750 tons of cargo, including 30,000 sacks of flour from Portland, Spokane and Tacoma. She took as passengers several families from the Sound cities who are travelling to the Orient for their health, and about 40 Japs and Chinamen. Instead of going to Nanaimo to coal, the Tacoma took on board all the fuel she required for the voyage off a scow at the Outer wharf.

The Mogul, also of the N. P. R. line, left Vancouver on Wednesday and will be due here on the 20th. She carries a cargo equal to 4,000 tons weight, which is one of the largest ever brought from the Orient to America. The cargo consists chiefly of this season's teas, and includes 250 tons for Victoria. There are 140 steerage and a number of cabin passengers on board for Pacific coast ports.

The new flagship was received at Esquimalt yesterday. H. M. S. Royal Arthur, the new flagship of the squadron, will arrive in port on Friday next, the 10th instant.

MARINE NOTES.

A very convenient publication containing information which will be of much value to

travelling public, as well as shipping merchants in general, is now being published by James A. Cohen, of this city. The paper is called the B. C. Shipping and Commercial Guide, and gives the time and date of the departures and arrivals of steamboat and railroad trains.

The steamer George E. Starr, now having her bottom cleaned at the Tacoma dry dock, is to go on the Victoria-Townsend-Port Angeles run as soon as she is ready for service. So says an official announcement published in one of the Sound newspapers.

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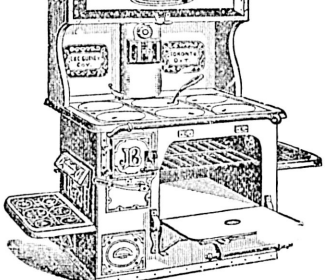
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AUCTION SALES.

JOSHUA DAVIES, AUCTIONEER
Has received instructions from the Executors of the Estate of Catherine Hotz, deceased, to sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION WITHOUT RESERVE, the property known as the

Colonist Hotel

AT THE MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, BOARD OF TRADE BUILDING, AT 1:30 P.M.

TUESDAY, JUNE 13th, 1893

All that piece or parcel of land situated in the City of Victoria, containing one acre, more or less, and more particularly described in map or plan of sale, with the improved erection comprising the building known as the Colonist Hotel, being a two-story frame building, and containing 10 rooms on ground floor on upper floor; stables for four horse carriages house, woodshed and other outbuildings, together with the well and the land is well drained, having its frontage on Beacon Hill Park, close to the Band-stand and Promenade, it is a magnificent view of the Straits of San Juan and snow-capped Olympian Mountains, makes the property a first-class investment for a Summer Hotel and seaside resort.

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will be offered on bloc, but under a bid. If the price offered is not satisfactory the Furniture will be sold as catalogued Friday, June 16th, at 11 a.m., on the premises.

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Terms at time of sale. Catalogues containing plans, together with particulars can be had at the office of Messrs. Jackson & Helmecken, Barrister-at-Law, Bastion street, or

JOSHUA DAVIES, Auctioneer.

Office, No. 7, Ground Floor, Board of Trade Building.

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CABLE LETTER.

Liquor Veto Demonstration—Atlantic Greyhounds Coursing—More Abuse of Russian Convicts.

Scarcity and Suffering in Germany—Election of Suez Canal Directors.

LONDON, June 10.—The report that Princess Alice of Hesse was to be shortly betrothed to the Czarovitch is officially denied.

CURRENT QUESTIONS.—Reports that the U. S. Congress will consider the annexation of the Philippines in September are creating a great interest in German financial circles, and more so in Austria, Austria and Germany still require a large amount of money for conversion. The Reichstag is now working the Austro-Hungarian currency. Financiers calculate that the cost of the Austrian currency reform will be greatly enhanced if President Cleveland's views are approved.

THE HAWAIIAN STEER.—The importation of a Canadian steer suspected by the authorities at Liverpool as suffering from the disease is still under inspection. The Canadian Government is submitting all possible evidence to prove the freedom from disease of the district from which the animal came. A decision is not expected for some weeks. Meanwhile Mr. Chaplin is keeping a close watch. He was informed in the House of Commons last night by President Gardner that the lungs of five Canadian animals have been subjected to special examination. All passed except the one suspected.

THE VANDERBILT OF ST. PETERSBURG.—The V. I. Vanderbilt, a Russian nobleman, publishes an account of the terrible abuse of convicts on the island of Okla. The man in charge is a convict who was promoted for good behavior and he subjects the convicts to such barbarous practices that twenty of them mutilated themselves in order to escape his cruelty. Others fled into the wilderness of Taiga, where they suffered from cold and hunger. Of those who fled few are now alive, and they have sustained themselves only by eating their former comrades.

THE PAPAL SCHOOL POLICY.—The sacred congregation of the propaganda has addressed a circular to the American Catholic Bishops, confirming the school policy of Pope Leo XIII. and Archbishop Ireland. It is stated that the Pope has changed his views on the subject.

THE SUEZ CANAL MEETING.—The meeting of the Suez Canal shareholders, held the other day, was a boisterous one. Messrs. Darier, Pégibou, Wilson, Lamb and Ferdinand and Charles de Lesseps, the retiring directors, were re-elected. No effort was made to procure the removal of Charles de Lesseps, now under sentence of imprisonment for paying bribes to public officials from the Panama Canal Company's treasury. Mr. Wadlington, recently ambassador to Great Britain; Prince Areberg, Chevalier de Brierre and Versenborg were elected to fill the places of directors who resigned.

THE "COMPANIA" THE CHAMPION.—In shipping circles very great interest is taken in the ocean race from New York to the Cape of Good Hope, of the Cunard line, and the Paris, belonging to the American company. The Campania arrived in yesterday with no sign of the Paris. Lloyd's gave her time from Sandy Hook to Brooklyn, as 5 days, 17 hours and 23 minutes. It was not till this morning shortly before 6 o'clock that the Paris passed Scilly, two hundred miles from Southampton, where she was due to reach this evening. She left New York Saturday morning, and was thus nowhere in the running, being in racing parlance, "distanced."

SPICED IN A CATHEDRAL.—While Archbishop Angerer was delivering the benediction in St. Stephen's Cathedral, Vienna, to-day, a book keeper named Matzbehl, who was sitting near the middle of the building, shot himself in the head with a revolver. Most of the worshippers sprang to their feet, and many started for the door. The Archbishop stopped in the midst of the benediction and calmed the congregation with a few words. After the body had been removed the congregation was dismissed. Matzbehl had lost heavily at the race tracks recently. The Cathedral will be reconsecrated.

MINISTER JUD'S EXEQUAT.—Max Judd, the new Consul General of the United States to Austria, has been at the Foreign Office several times to make inquiries concerning his exequat. The papers have been signed by Count Taffel, the Premier, and will be delivered to Mr. Judd next week.

GORDON BENNETT BETTER.—James Gordon Bennett, of the New York Herald, is recovering rapidly from the injuries he received in falling from a coach a few days ago in Paris. His physicians say that he is well out of danger. The first reports of the accident are said to have been somewhat exaggerated.

LIQUOR VETO DEMONSTRATION.—The liquor veto demonstration of the temperance people was held in Hyde Park to-day. More than a hundred thousand persons were present. Speeches were made from twenty platforms. Among the most conspicuous speakers were Lady Somerset, William Cairns, Radical M. P.; Sir Wilfrid Lawson, Radical M. P., and president of the United Kingdom Alliance for the suppression of the liquor traffic; James Pictou, Liberal M. P.; Wm. Standers, Radical M. P.; W. M. Gower, Medical Reform M. P., and John Carey Williams, advanced Liberal M. P.

SCARCITY AND SUFFERING.—The drought in Freiburg and Breisgau continues and the outlook is serious. There is a scarcity of food and much suffering is thereby entailed. A number of the inhabitants of the village of Allmannsweier, who lacked food for themselves and their families, determined to raid the Kippenheim preserves and capture whatever game was possible. The keepers detected them in their poaching and a pitched battle ensued, the invaders resisting the attempts of the keepers to drive them from the preserves. A number of the combatants were wounded and many of the village were arrested.

WHAT LIEBKNECHT SAYS.—The German Government organs accuse Herr Liebknecht, the Socialist leader, of having declared at Metz, a few days ago, that Germany would be defeated in the war. Herr Liebknecht replied to the accusation in the Vorwaerz, to-day. Among other things, he says that the aggressor in the next war, whether France or Germany, is certain of defeat.

HAWAII'S RULER.

Opinion Expressed by One of the Spreckels Brothers, Who Should Know Something.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 10.—"The next steamer from Honolulu will bring news of great interest, unless my correspondent there is greatly mistaken," said J. D. Spreckels last night. "Advices from Honolulu to-day are to the effect that within a few days Minister Blount will announce the wishes of the United States Government, and the next steamer will bring us news that the Queen has been restored to power. A new constitution will be adopted and a new ministry selected. When this is done Hawaii will again prosper. Business will again resume its late activity, and new capital will pour in for investment. This condition of affairs may not come about, but it is my opinion it will and very soon."

GERMANY'S ELECTIONS.

No End to the Political Complications That Have Arisen—Results Doubly Doubtful.

Spread of Democratic Sentiment—Speculations as to Possible Electoral Reforms.

BERLIN, June 10.—At the general elections for members of the Reichstag, to be held on Thursday next, and at the bye-elections that are sure to be required, 397 members of the House, the full complement will be returned. The present week closes with 1,555 candidates in the field; not only new aspirants for seats, but new political factions appear daily, and as election day draws gradually nearer, the confusion grows worse confounded. Little can be done in the few days that will elapse before the polling to disentangle the intricate web that has been woven by the many factions. Instead of the eight recognized parties in the late Reichstag holding the electoral field in the present campaign, there are about twenty sections, each fighting for its own programme. These programmes often agree on some common point, but on other points, they cross and recross with such confusing demands that it would be a difficult, if not impossible, task to say what any single faction really wants. It seems impossible, now that the result of Thursday's balloting will decide, how the Reichstag will be constituted. Judging from the present outlook it is thought the vote in most of the constituencies will be as split up that re-ballots will be necessary in two thirds of them.

Among the latest developments in the political situation is the break up among the anti-Semites. The Jew baiters now consist of three distinct factions, with partly hostile programmes, besides two opposing particularistic sections. South Germany and Eastern Prussia have produced a Lithuanian party; Hesse, an Autonomist party, and Mecklenburg a Constitutional party, which demands reform in local and state affairs. There are Agrarians, Avarians or Free Traders, Ahlwardtists, Poles, Alsatians and Guelphs, mixed up with candidates of the great old groups—Free Conservatives, Conservatives and National Liberals, Lieber Centrists, Von Schorlemerfelds, Moderates, Extremists, Freisinnigen, Volkspartei and Socialists. Yet this unparalleled medley remains without the accompaniment of anything like popular excitement. The candidates who are stumping the constituencies are generally heard amid an academic quiet. It is only the anti-Semites and Socialists who succeed in stirring their meetings into demonstrations of enthusiasm. Herr Sigel, among the Bavarian peasant, finds a hearty response to his Prussophile and protection utterances, but, taking Germany as a whole, it is doubtful whether the electors will take the trouble to poll their full strength.

The final result must depend on the political combinations on the reballots. Where the final ballot in any district lies between a Conservative and a Socialist, then the Centrists and Freisinnigen, by coalescing, may assist in the return of the Conservative candidates. If the issue is between a Conservative and a Centrist, then the Freisinniger and Socialist minority will probably throw its vote for the Centrist candidate, as an opponent of the Army Bill. In many districts the strength of the factions is so evenly distributed, that it will be a toss up as to which candidate will head the polls.

All over the country the reballoting must lead to complex bartering and vote-mongering bargains, and the elections of the second poll will often be decided, not on the lines of party policy, but on considerations of a private or local nature. Everything promises that the new Reichstag will be the most motley Parliament known in history. The Conservative groups, according to the party organs, mean to organize a movement against universal suffrage. The National Liberals evince a less marked tendency in the same direction. The Conservatives aim to substitute a graded system of class representation for every Diet of the Federated States, with each Diet electing delegates to the Reichstag. They seriously discuss this proposal as the only salvation from the democratic deluge which now threatens to sweep the country.

An incident that occurred at a Centrist mass meeting in Westphalia shows the spread of democratic sentiment. A Baron Von Schorlemerfeld made a speech, in the course of which he defended the Conservative Catholic programme. Being interrupted by opposing cries he exclaimed: "You reason like Socialists." The response was prompt and to the point: "That's what we are," and a number of priests, who were on the platform, did not venture to remonstrate against the statement.

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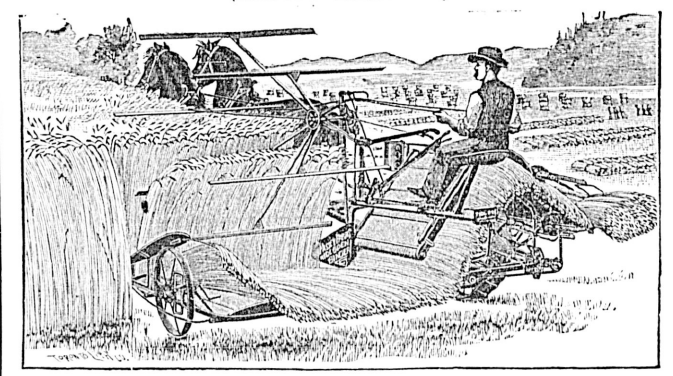
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NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Board of Licensing Commissioners at its next sitting by William Monteith, Official Administrator, for a transfer of the license granted to H. H. Ward, (New deceased), for the sale of wines and liquors by retail at the Albion Hotel, Herald street, Victoria, to issue Avos of the said city, the undersigned Charles Thomas Russell, to whom permission to use such license was until the date hereof temporarily granted, consenting to such application. Dated this 25th day of April, A. D., 1893.

W. MONTEITH, Official Administrator.

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TENDERS.

ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

Amended tenders are invited for the above, to be delivered at the City Clock-office not later than 4 p.m., on Monday, the 12th instant, together with certified cheques for five per cent of the total value of the contract.

Plans and specifications will be seen at the office of the undersigned on or after Thursday morning next, where all further particulars may also be obtained.

W. RIDGWAY WILSON, Architect.
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NOTICE.

SITES WANTED.

Offers of land suitable for School Sites, or other purposes, will be received by the Victoria City Board of School Trustees, up to Wednesday evening, next, at 6 p.m.

Proposals must state dimensions of land, location, and the lowest cash price.

B. WILLIAMS, Secretary.
Victoria, B.C., June 7 1893. je8

Notice to Contractors, Builders, Etc.

Tenders will be received on behalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty until noon of Wednesday, the 21st instant, for executing Minor Works and Repairs at the Naval Establishments at Esquimalt.

Plans, specifications and conditions of contract may be seen at the office of the Clerk of Works in this yard.

Tenders to be endorsed "Works" and addressed to the undersigned.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES H. INNES, Naval Storekeeper, Etc.
Royal Naval Yard, Esquimalt, 7th June, 1893. je7 id

Provincial Gaol at Victoria.

Tenders, endorsed "Gaol Supplies," for the supply of Bread, Beef, Groceries, Clothing and Coal, for the use of the said institution, from the 1st of July next, to the 30th of June, 1894, will be received by the undersigned, up to Monday, the 26th June. Samples of Groceries, Clothing, etc., can be seen at the Gaol, Topaz avenue. Tenders to state price of Coal per ton of 2,000 pounds. All supplies to be delivered at the Gaol as required, without extra charge. Oatmeal, Brooms, Brushes and all articles required for use in this contract, to be of Provincial manufacture, as far as practicable.

F. S. HUSSEY, Supt. Prov. Police and Warden of Gaols.
June 5, 1893. je6 id

ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE, NEW WESTMINSTER.

TENDERS, endorsed "Lunatic Asylum," for the supply of clothing, meat, milk, vegetables, groceries, coal, and wood, etc., for the use of the said institution from the 1st day of July next to the 30th day of June, 1894, will be received by the Honorable the Provincial Secretary until noon on Wednesday the 21st proximo.

Lists of the articles required can be seen at this office, and at the Asylum, at which latter place samples can also be inspected.

All supplies to be delivered at the Asylum without extra charge.

Security for the due performance of the contract will be required in each case.

A. CAMPBELL REDDIE, Deputy Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
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Kamloops.....Monday.....5th June.

Clinton.....Monday.....12th June.

FALL ASSIZES.

[On Mainland.]

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Clinton.....Wednesday.....27th September.

Kamloops.....Monday.....2nd October.

Lytton.....Monday.....5th October.

N. Westminster.....Wednesday.....8th November.

Vancouver.....Wednesday.....15th November.

[On Vancouver Island.]

Victoria.....Monday.....27th November.

Nanaimo.....Tuesday.....5th December.

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CITY OF VICTORIA.

Court of Revision.

Notice is hereby given that the Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing all complaints against the assessment of 1893 as made by the Assessor of the City of Victoria, will be held at the Council Chambers, City Hall, Victoria, on TUESDAY, the 27th day of JUNE, A.D. 1893, at 10 o'clock a.m.

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GEO. A. SARGISON, NOTARY PUBLIC,

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WASHINGTON WIVES.

THREE WOMEN WHO ARE PROMINENT IN SOCIAL CIRCLES.

Mrs. Call Has Passed Fourteen Seasons at the National Capital—The Charming Wife of Senator Mitchell of Wisconsin—Mrs. Oates Is Very Popular.

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The wife of Senator John L. Mitchell of Wisconsin was Miss Harriet Danforth Beckar of South Worcester, Otsego county, N. Y. She was born and brought up on an old homestead which has been in possession of her family since long before the Revolution.



Mrs. John L. Mitchell, before the Revolution. She was carefully educated at home and abroad and about 15 years ago married Mr. John L. Mitchell, only son of the late Alexander Mitchell of Milwaukee, the great financial leader and many times millionaire.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell spent several years abroad, and in their beautiful home at Milwaukee are many souvenirs of their travels. Among the paintings are some of the best in America, by Corot, Vibert, Schreyer, Millet and Jules Breton. Especially valuable is "Evening at Finisterra" by the last named artist. This is the only picture brought from home to adorn the furnished house—a large, comfortable one—on I street, which they took two years ago, when Mr. Mitchell came to congress.

Mrs. Mitchell is a tall, handsome woman, with beautiful complexion, fine teeth and a charming smile. Her manner is delightfully cordial and unaffected. She dresses with great taste and has handsome jewels, but makes little display of them. One does not think of her as a rich woman, but a charming and cultivated one.



Mrs. Wilkinson Call, a charming and cultured woman. She is of medium height, slender and graceful, with dark brown eyes, a profusion of wavy dark brown hair and a very sweet expression. Her voice is low and musical, with the soft tones of her native state, for which she was named. Carolina Simpkins came of good Revolutionary stock and is connected by blood or marriage with some of the best families in the south. One of her father's ancestors was General Elijah Clarke of Georgia and his sister, the wife of the famous

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Mrs. William C. Oates, Governor Pickens of South Carolina. Mrs. Call is a prominent member of the society of the Daughters of the American Revolution and a great social favorite.

She was a mere girl when she married Mr. Call and three years later came to Washington with him when he first took his place in the senate. That was 14 years ago. During that time she and the genial senator have made many friends, who are glad to know that they will be here four winters more, if not longer.

The Washington home of Senator and Mrs. Call is on N street, not far from the

British embassy, in a large, pleasant house, which is well furnished and very homelike. The only child, Lucy Lee Call, is a tall, pretty girl of about 15, still pursuing her studies. She possesses great musical talent, inherited from her mother, and will be an acquisition to society when she comes out two or three years hence.

Sara Toney was a pretty little girl when Colonel William C. Oates, for a number of years now representative in congress, first saw her and said he was going to wait for her to grow up. She was hardly out of school before he married her, and for the 10 years or so of her wedded life she has been very popular in Washington society. She is of medium height and well rounded form, has very dark, wavy hair, eyes of so dark a gray that they seem black, well defined brows, fine complexion and teeth and an ever varying expression which no picture can give. Her father, dead for some years, was a prominent planter near Eufaula, Ala. His widow, a beautiful and cultured woman, still lives at Roseland, the family home.

Washington. JULIETTE M. BABBITT.

WOMAN'S WORLD IN PARAGRAPHS.

Bachelor Apartments for Women Are Needed in the Large Cities.

About the close of this year there will be finished in a convenient locality in New York an elegant apartment house for women. Its existence will be owed largely to the energy and kindness of the artist, Mrs. Candace Wheeler, who interested some wealthy friends in the project. The building will contain some hundreds of rooms and suites. They will be both furnished and unfurnished and range in price from \$2 a week for one room to \$10 a week for a cute little suite consisting of parlor, sleeping room and bathroom. The accommodations will be vastly superior to those that ordinarily rent in New York for the prices named, yet the investment will return to the capitalists who put money into it fair dividends. The building will also contain a few flats for housekeeping, unfurnished, provided with a neat kitchen and range. Mrs. Wheeler hopes in this house to gather some of the homeless girl artists who strive so bravely on small means to live while they gain their education or succeed in getting a foothold in their profession. The single woman in a boarding house is always regarded with more or less suspicion by the flinty hearted person who usually runs the place, especially if the single woman is poor. She puts up with the coldest hall bedroom as well as the coldest coffee and toughest steak. She is snubbed and treated like a poor relation; sometimes she is told that the landlady will not have her running out nights and will not open the door for her when she comes in. This petty tyranny is ended for the favored occupants of the apartment house for girl bachelors. There will be no restrictions except such as are the vogue in all respectable hotels. The ladies will go and come as they please, and they will not be spied upon and reported and bound down by wretched rules. The pure minded, thoroughly educated, wide awake young woman who is learning a trade or profession or earning her own living is able to take care of herself perfectly. No men will be allowed to live in this girl bachelor paradise. There are houses enough for men already, hundreds of them "for gentlemen only." It is time now that the ladies had their innings, and they are going to get them, you mind that. Let us have women's apartment houses in all the cities.

The chief clerk in the money order department of the postoffice at San Antonio, Tex., is a young lady—Miss M. E. Ogden—and she has held her place three years. Lately Miss Ogden was appointed a member of the board that examines applicants for clerkships in the San Antonio postoffice.

If wives could only rid themselves of the notion that they own their husbands, and that a man must pin himself down beside his wife every moment of his time, they would be happier. A husband will not be pinned down, to begin, and if he pretends to be he will only be deceiving his wife. Let unhappy wives who pine, weep and scold because their husbands leave them stop all this and find some amusement. It is really very silly, the maudlin, jealous, unreasoning emotion with which women pursue the men to whom they are married. It is merely a slopping over of emotion which is all wasted. Let unhappy wives find something of human interest for themselves. Let them go out evenings, too, and invite gay friends to visit them. Let them cultivate themselves intellectually. Our side can have exactly as good times as the other side. We have only to go and take the good times.

I do wish both husbands and wives would rid themselves of this foolish notion that they own each other body and bones, and that men and women cease to be human beings just because they are married.

If men intend to cease all loverlike attentions to their wives as soon as they are married, then they ought never to begin those attentions.

The bitterest hour of disillusionment in a woman's life comes when she discovers that her husband has suddenly dropped his chivalrous tenderness and little courtesies and is henceforth to be only a blunt, heavy hoofed Tom or John like all the rest of the husbands she has seen. It is a blow that a sensitive woman's love cannot survive. No wonder that a polished scoundrel can sometimes captivate a wife's fancy. His manners contrast so painfully with those of her husband.

"America is now meager in oratory," writes ex-Senator Ingalls. Has Mr. Ingalls perhaps forgotten Mary Lease?

Do you know who is the most honored American actress on the stage today? It is Mrs. John Drew, 76 years old. Her intellectuality as well as her physical vitality is extraordinary. When younger women grumble at the fatigues of theatrical traveling, Mrs. Drew laughs at them.

ELIZA ARCHARD CONNER.

M. QUAD'S SKETCHES.

The Story of a Baggage Check—A Tiger's Spring.

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The train on which I had been a passenger for half a day was approaching a small town called Williamsburg. I had my window up and was looking at some horses galloping about in an enclosure when something fell from the sky, as it were, and landed on the bank of the railroad ditch on that side. I had time to we passed along to note that it was a brass baggage check. My first thought was that a child had thrown it from the car window, and I started up to give information, but there was no child in my car. I passed ahead into the next, but there were only two children in that car and both on the other side. I entered the second car ahead, but not a window was up on either side. As I had caught sight of the check before it touched the ground, it must have been flung out with in a car's length of where I was sitting. The ditch was full of water and 10 feet away, and the idea had probably been to throw the check into the water. There were only four people on that side of my car—one man and three women. A glance assured me that their windows were down and that two of the women were napping. About midway of car ahead was a middle aged man in a seat by himself on the right hand side. That was the side the check had fallen from. The man seemed to be very much interested in his newspaper—too much so, I judged. Our stop was only for a minute, and there was a great deal of bustle outside. It wasn't exactly natural that he should be totally oblivious of the surroundings. No matter if he was in the habit of passing over the road daily, it was only natural that he should at least glance out of the window at the crowd on the platform or look up at the faces of the half dozen passengers entering the car.

"There's the man who threw that check away," I said to myself after watching him a bit. "Baggage checks are not used as pocket pieces. People don't throw them away. A check means a piece of baggage. What was his object in getting rid of it? His window was down when I came in first, but has he had it open?"

Three seats behind my suspect was a man with a hard, dry cough. As I looked at him he rose up and came over to me and petulantly said:

"Some folks ought to travel in cattle cars instead of passenger coaches." I was mad enough for a minute to tackle three men of his size!

"What's the matter?" I naturally asked.

"Why, that idiot shoved the window up and let in a rush of air and dust, and I won't get over coughing for an hour to come!" If he hadn't put it down when I yelled at him, I'd have been in his hair for sure!

I found out that he had taken the train that morning at Chester. He was sure the other man had taken it there. After a while I got a good look at my suspect. I put him down at 40 years of age. There was a slight tinge of gray to his hair, and he had black eyes, heavy black eyebrows and thin, cruel lips. As I furtively watched him I saw his hand go up to his face every now and then. That signified that he had been wearing thin whiskers. In 99 cases out of 100 a man wearing thin whiskers will stroke them every two or three minutes when reading or talking. He will do the same thing with a heavy mustache. This man was clean shaven. The skin of his upper lip and chin was whiter than the rest of his face. These parts had certainly been protected from the weather. His left side was toward me as I examined him, and I discovered two good marks to remember. On the lobe of his left ear was a small mole. Across the knuckle of the little finger of the left hand was a small scar, probably the result of a cut with his own pocketknife. Was I a detective? No. Then why concern myself? Simply because I am of an observing turn and have a natural leaning toward causes and results. Soon after I began studying my man he seemed to fall into a doze. This was only pretense on his part, however. He adopted that method to give me a looking over and discover if I were watching him. That was the trick of a guilty man. I went back to my car to study the case, and the conclusion arrived at was about as follows:

"Here is a passenger who flings the check for his trunk out of the car window. If it was an stray check calling for nothing, he would hand it to the conductor or be returned to the baggage room or drop it on the floor. With out a check he will be put to much trouble to get his baggage. It looks as if he desired to get rid of that baggage. He did not act natural as we lay at the station. He suspected I was sizing him up. An honest man would not have given it a thought. He had a heavy mustache and chin whiskers up to 24 hours ago. He looked much better with them on and doubtless knew it. Why did he sacrifice them? But about the baggage. I think I can soon find out if that check represented anything in the baggage car.

I went forward into the smoker and sat down beside the conductor and offered him a cigar. Inside of five minutes I found that my suspect was going through to Weston, as were the other five in his car. There were three of us in my coach, also going through, making nine full fare tickets. Under pretense that I wanted a look at my trunk I entered the baggage car. The through baggage was piled separately. There were nine trunks—one for each of us. One must belong to my suspect, unless some other passenger had two. You will think it queer, but I instinctively selected one of the nine trunks as belonging to him. It was an old trunk, but a large one, and it was secured with two leather straps. These straps were brand new, while the trunk looked as if it were taking its first journey for years. The number of the check was 662. When I returned to the coaches, my suspect had gone into the smoker with a cigar. This left me free to work among the passengers, and I went from one to another with my own check on my palm and queried:

"Excuse me, please, but does this belong to you?"

Every one of the seven took out his or her check to make sure they had not lost it. I thus saw the numbers of all, and none had the number above given. That settled the ownership of the trunk I had

selected. It certainly belonged to my suspect. I dared not approach him on the matter of his check, as that would alarm him and destroy the case I had built up. The only thing I could do was to watch him when we arrived at Weston. There were three hotels there, but all a mile away from the depot. There was a north and south road crossing there, but we would get in at 7 o'clock, and no train would pass before midnight. I gave the man no further heed until we reached our destination. Eight of the nine trunks were sent up town, while his was left in the baggage room. Three of us went to the same hotel. Had my suspect been intending to stop for a day or two he would have had his trunk brought up. I figured that he intended to go north or south during the night. He made no inquiries about trains, however, nor did he visit the up town ticket office. At 9 o'clock he went to his room, leaving no word with the clerk. That certainly looked as if he meant to stay all night, but when I had seen him off I went and told my story to the chief of police. I was laughed at of course. I had made a rope out of sand. The officer patted me on the shoulder in a fatherly way and advised me to stick to my line and let the professional detectives do the detecting. That ought to have squelched me, but it didn't. When I left the chief, I started for the depot to have a close look at that trunk. It stood on end in the baggage room and was the only trunk in the room. The door was wide open, and as I reached it a dog trotted in off the platform and began sniffing and smelling at the trunk. After a minute he began to whine and paw, and as I approached he growled at me.

The actions of the dog would have attracted anybody's attention. I called to the baggage man, and after watching the performance for a bit he agreed with me that there was something to investigate. We drove the dog out and had a sniff at the trunk. There was a rank, unpleasant odor. One sniff satisfied me that I had made no mistake in working up my case. I had no proof that this trunk belonged to my suspect. It had come off our train, and I believed it to be his, but there might be a mistake. I returned to the chief, and though still inclined to ridicule my "case" he consented to go down and see the trunk. In about half a minute he was satisfied that there was something out of the ordinary, but could not see his way clear. We had no right to look into the trunk, and we had no proofs to warrant an arrest. By getting hold of the train baggage man I satisfied the chief that nine trunks had come down on the train. Eight of them had been taken away. If the owner of the ninth meant to take the cross line, he would of course recheck. The chief argued that my suspect would not have taken a room for the night if intending to go away, but I asked that he wait and see what might happen. At 11:30 my man came down in a hack. He had come down stairs at 11 and settled his bill and made excuses for his change of plan. He at once stepped to the ticket office and bought a cross line ticket and then began to walk up and down, saying nothing about baggage. I kept him in sight, but took care he should not see me. At 11:45, acting under instructions, the baggage man approached him and said:

"Excuse me, but you did not give me your baggage check. Where shall I recheck it?"

"Why—I—I—why, I have no check—no baggage!" stammered the man as he felt in his pockets.

He was badly upset, and even the cautious chief grew suspicious. I was so willing to stake everything upon a single move that I walked straight up to the man and asked:

"If that isn't your trunk in there, how do you happen to have the key to it? It's your trunk of course. I saw you check it at Chester. Why do you deny ownership?"

He wasn't a man of nerve. He turned pale, choked and stammered, and suddenly made a break for the door. The baggage man caught him, and he redeemed himself somewhat by giving the three of us a lively tussle for a couple of minutes. The key was taken from his pocket and the trunk unlocked. You have guessed its contents, a dismembered human body, and that of a female. Next day when the doctors got to work they said it was a young woman who had been killed by repeated stabs. It was eight days before the victim was identified. When that occurred, the identity of the man was also established. Fifteen miles west of Chester, in a village called Belmont, our prisoner had kept a hotel. He was a widower, and his reputation was not above reproach. His victim was his own cousin—a girl 19 years old. What he did he had planned for weeks and gone over the route to make sure. He had given out that he was going to England on a visit. He murdered the girl in the cellar of his hotel and carried the remains to the barn and packed them in the trunk. He went about the thing so coolly that no trace was left to cause suspicion. He drove to Chester in the night, checked the trunk for Weston, 300 miles away, and he hoped it might be left there for several days before its contents were suspected. He threw the check away, as I have described, but retained the key. The check was found just where I saw it fall.

It took long weeks to convict the man, for he employed the best legal talent, but with conviction came confession and later on the gallows. His check, his trunk, the two new straps, his drive over to Chester, the buried clothing of the girl and a knife and hatchet had to be traced up and connected, but when the case was presented his doom was sealed. A detective? No. The profession is all right, but I should prefer almost any other. I simply keep my eyes open as I travel about, and when a thing happens I want to know the whys and wherefores of it.

A TIGER'S SPRING.

Our camp had been pitched under the wide-spreading branches of three great trees, with an open plain all about us. Behind us was a small creek, now nearly dry, and between us and the creek, a distance of 100 feet, were two bushes in line and about 20 feet apart. To have glanced around him one would have said there was not enough cover for a hare to approach us unperceived.

The four of us came in early one afternoon after having failed to rout out a

tiger which had been marked down four or five miles away. We had dinner a bit earlier than usual, and the sun was still three-quarters of an hour high when we carried our camp chairs outdoors and sat down for a smoke. There had been a shower that afternoon, and the evening was delightfully pleasant. We sat down in the form of a square, with the chairs perhaps six feet from the common centre. Major Grill was exactly in line with the bushes, back to them, and I was exactly in front of him. To my right and 100 feet away were the three tents of our natives, and our horses were staked out and grazing. It was a scene of peace and quietness, and no man had the remotest idea of danger.

"What is it, colonel?" Looking for snakes again? Ha! ha! ha!

The major was telling us about shooting his first tiger, and I had interrupted him to stand up and peer over his head. Somewhere between us and the creek I had caught a movement—something like the flight of a shadow made by a waving branch.

I sat down after half a minute rather ashamed of myself, and the major went on with his story. While I listened I looked straight over his left shoulder, and it was perhaps 10 minutes when I detected the same movement again. This time I thought I caught a fleeting glimpse of the tip of a tiger's tail, and even my look of wonder and anxiety was ridiculed.

"Why, man, the sight of those tiger tracks to-day has unstung your nerves," exclaimed the major after a roar of laughter. "However, we've all been new at the business in our time and can sympathize with you."

Men dread ridicule. I settled back to pay closer attention to the major's story and looked in every direction except over his shoulder. Five minutes had passed, and the trees above us were casting long shadows toward the creek when I glanced at the bush again. My eyes had scarcely turned that way when I detected a movement through the foliage of the nearest bush. I was near the roots of the bush, and I wondered if it was not a pleasant seeking her nest.

"Why, man, you're looking over my shoulder again!" laughed the major. "Come now, but what is it? Let's all stand up and have a look. Does any one behold the lithe, striped body of the dreaded man-eater stealing upon his human prey? Which of us has he selected? When does the banquet come off? Upon my word, colonel, but you must get a brace on your nerves or you'll miss your first tiger at the muzzle of your rifle."

I was indignant with myself for having attracted such general attention, but the major had not been seated three minutes when my eyes wandered to the bush again. I saw the same movement as before, but there was something in addition. I caught a glint of fire, as if live coal had been passed from right hand to left. That I believed to be a firefly. I had partly turned my head when something I took to be a great bird rose above the bush and came sailing toward us. It alighted half way between us and the bush, rose again as if on wings, and next instant a man eating tiger crushed Major Grill to the earth. As he alighted upon the unfortunate officer he struck a powerful blow with his right fore paw, and that blow killed the man stone dead.

"A tiger! A tiger!" I heard the servants shouting, but I did not move. Neither did the others. It had come so swiftly and so unexpectedly that we were paralyzed for the moment. The beast seized the major by the shoulder, gave him three or four shakes, and then let go and stood with his fore feet on the body and looked at us and growled and licked his chops. He made a circle in shaking the body, and his long tail struck our legs as he moved. Half a dozen of the servants ran into the tent and armed themselves, but they hadn't the nerve to fire. The tiger turned and faced them, his eyes gleaming and his fangs displayed, and a steady hand and a true eye could have dropped him with a bullet. The natives kept backing away from him and finally threw down the guns and scrambled up into the trees. Then the tiger turned and glared at us and kept up a low growling. No man moved a finger. After a long minute the beast seized the body by the shoulder, gave it a twist over his back and went off at a smart trot, and he was across the creek before one of us was on his feet. Ere a hand clutched a rifle the tiger was at the edge of the jungle, and it was too late.

From the bush nearest us to the creek was a shallow furrow scooped out by the rains. The tiger had come down the bed of the creek for a quarter of a mile and then crawled up this furrow, and at two or three points I had caught a brief glimpse of him. His first spring was only 12 feet, as he had to clear a bush 9 feet high, but his second was 21. We could do nothing that night. Next day we could only look for the remains of the unfortunate man. The tiger carried the body into the jungle for about half a mile, and what he left the hyenas and jackals devoured. We found a few fragments of clothing, two or three goldpieces and a badly battered watch, but nothing which we might give burial.

M. QUAD.

A Soft Thing.

Chollie—Do you know, Jimmie, that I think your sister is just awfully sweet?

Little Jimmy—I guess she thinks a whole lot of you too. I heard her tell one of the other girls that you was a regular puddin'—Indianapolis Gazette.

Biblical.

"What did the children of Israel do after they came through the Red sea?" asked a New York Sunday school teacher.

"Dried their clothes, I s'pose," replied Tommy Amsterdam.—Texas Sittings.

Great Strength.

"Are these cigars strong?" asked the man of the cigar dealer.

"Are they?" replied the latter. "Well, you just try to pull on one and you'll see if they are."—Philadelphia Record.

The Only Safe Way.

Mr. Sappy—I hope I'll not get a fool for a wife.

She—You'd better remain single, Mr. Sappy.—Brooklyn Life.

Insurance D.

Primus—They say I showed rare presence of mind when I broke out.

Secundus—He did. I didn't let the neighbors see any of it.

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A DINNER LOST.

The Third Man Didn't Come In Until the Last.

Dashaway—Condone with me, old man. I have just lost a very excellent dinner. Cleverton—In what way?

Dashaway—Over a bet. The other day Van Winkle, Stuffer and myself were strolling down the avenue, and I happened to mention that a few nights before I had met a certain Miss Miller at a dinner for the first time, and the question came up as to whether, if she met me on the street, she would bow. Van Winkle and I got into a heated discussion over it. He maintained that she wouldn't bow; that it wasn't customary, and I said she would. Then I bet him the finest dinner that could be bought that the next time I met her she would bow, and he took me up. We got quite excited over it, when, by Jove! what do you think happened?

Cleverton—You met the girl.

Dashaway—Precisely. I happened to look up, and there she was, bearing down on us. Cleverton—And she of course didn't bow, and you lost your bet.

Dashaway—But she did bow, and I won the bet. But (sadly) I lost the dinner, old fellow.

Cleverton (quizzed)—I don't see how that could be.

Dashaway—You forget that Stuffer was there. While Van Winkle and I were betting and were so excited he had made a remark that we agreed to. We didn't exactly grasp the meaning of it until afterward.

Cleverton—What on earth could it have been?

Dashaway (gloomily)—He said he would hold the stakes.—Truth.

Two Reflections.

"Bah Jove!" said Willie Fairfax. Willie had made a similar remark every minute for the last quarter of an hour.

He was seated at one end of the great hotel parlor. His attention seemed to be attracted toward the other end.

"Bah Jove!" he muttered for the sixteenth time, "she seems to be an awful pretty girl—a wather weak, insipid face, you know, but quite nice. I wish to gawd I had my glasses with me." Willie struck an attitude. His fair enslaver did likewise. "G'wacious," murmured Willie, agitated. "She's an awful flirt. I'll have to walk by and smile at her."

He started to carry out this laudable enterprise.

Miss George Tomson was leaning against the mantel in another part of the same hotel.

Straight and prim was she in her tailor made suit. She was evidently ill at ease.

"By George!" she murmured. "I wish that man would not stare at me so. He seems to have a strong masculine face. How perfectly his coat fits him! What immaculate linen! He rather interests me. But, great guns! I wish he would not stare so fixedly. I shall have to sail by and freeze him."

It was about at this time that Willie Fairfax had started on his more amiable project. A minute later Miss George Tomson and Willie Fairfax crashed into a mirror.—Brooklyn Life.

Saw the Force of It.

The consciousness that a youth whose necktie exactly matched his eyes in shade awaited her coming in the front parlor sent the hot blood coursing through her veins.

Suddenly her brow was darkened with doubt.

"Mamma!" she called petulantly. A tired looking lady with pale, wan cheeks came and stood beside the maiden.

"Shall I wear my crinoline down tonight, mamma?"

"Yes, my child, by all means. Hast!"—The mother's hand fondly caressed the golden curls.

"—forgotten that thou partookst of onions tonight, and that too great a degree of proximity oft tends to disillusionment?"

The girl sighed regretfully, but the exigencies of the occasion were apparent to her mind.—Detroit Tribune.

"Something Chased."

Life.

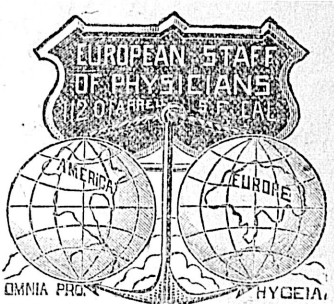
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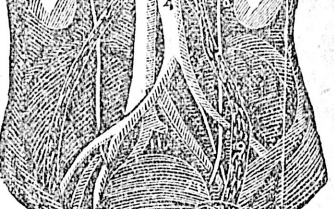
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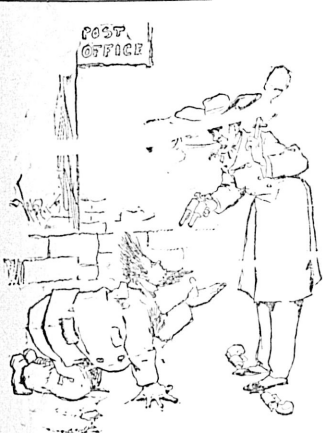
The "Editor Killer" Knocked Under to the "Kicker" Representative.

Missed the Widow but Saved His Money—His Many Families.

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THE ARIZONA KICKER.

GONE HENCE.—A year ago this month dignity compelled us to put a bullet into ex-Judge Green of this town. He had sworn to humiliate us, and he met us on Apache avenue and pulled our nose. We dropped him, but to prove that we had no ill will we sat up with him every night for two weeks and paid his doctor bill. The judge never forgave us, however. He came here to run the town, and he found us in his way. He had been used to licking editors all his life, and to have one of the fraternity get the best of him rankled in his soul. Six months ago we were informed that the judge had bet 2 to 1 with Bill Poole, the farm man, that he would make us eat dirt in front of the postoffice at high noon, which is our usual hour for calling for our mail. We oiled up our guns and went forth, fully realizing that the prestige of the editorial fraternity of this territory was at stake. While the judge was looking for us from the south we approached him from the opposite direction. It will be remembered that we disarmed him, and that on his knees he asked our forgiveness and promised not to thrust for our gore any more. We sold his two guns at public auction and gave the money to an orphan who wanted to get back to Boston awfully bad, and we supposed the judge would go out of business. It seems, however, that he only let go again to get a better hold. Saturday evening last people saw him skulking in the vicinity of THE KICKER office armed with a shotgun. He was no doubt looking for a chance to drop us, but Providence intervened. While skulking in the alley in the rear of the office he must have fallen over some obstruction, for he was found dead Sunday morning, a victim of his own weapon. We buried him at our own expense, and also acted as a pallbearer. We had nothing against the judge, and we think of his death with sorrow. It is always a sad thing to find a man making a mistake in his mission on earth. The judge would have made a good superintendent of a cloacal factory, or he would have done well as a stage driver or possibly as a pector, but he was determined to become a champion editor. Had he not fallen by his own hand we should have



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riddled him sooner or later, and the result would have been the same. We hope and trust that he is better off. In that land to which he has gone may his ambition have full swing, and may there be no editors to cast a shadow across his sunny path.

THE MAJOR RETURNS.—Three weeks ago Major Hunnevell of this town started for New York city with a view of settling down there as our regular correspondent. We heard nothing from him until two days ago, when he walked into THE KICKER office a sad, mad and disheveled man. With no one seemed to look for his arrival, and no one appeared to care a copper for him, he felt lonesome for a glimpse of a shabby saloon with a smiling proprietor and a double barreled shotgun behind the bar. He missed the thrifty cactus, the barbed wire fence and the ambulant mule and long horned steer. We not only cautioned the major that they probably burned gas in the big city, but gave him written instructions not to blow it out or tie a rag around the burner. He mislaid the card, blew out the flame and was discovered just in time to save his life. When the major started out to do New York with a lasso coiled on his shoulder, the police ran him in. When it was discovered that he had two guns strapped around him, a judge fined him \$15. He put on his buckskin suit and stood in Union square and uttered a warwhoop, and he was run in again. He went into a saloon and pounded on the bar and asked the crowd to step up, and they called in a policeman to throw him out. He called at most of the newspaper offices, expecting to have a long, friendly chat with the editors and get some pointers, but all were too busy to see him. They demanded that he remove his hat in a restaurant where he went for grub, and because he refused he was bounced clear across the road. The major held on for two weeks, hoping to make a round up of it, but being robbed of his watch and bunkered out of most of his money he decided to give the east the cold shake and come home to this great and glorious province.

THE COLONEL CRAWFISHED.

The colonel and I were sitting on the tavern veranda smoking and talking when he suddenly reached behind him and exclaimed: "Durn my skin, but that's just like me! Left my pistol at home on the bureau!"

"There doesn't seem to be any need of it around here," I replied. "Can't tell—can't tell. It's about time for Major Green to come along, and when I meet up with the major I always feel better to be healed." We dropped the subject for another and had been talking about 10 minutes when back went the colonel's hand again, and he said: "Durn my skin, but there's Major Green, and I ain't got nothing to shoot with!" "Is there going to be any shooting here?" "Not under the circumstances, but you are going to see the worst case of crawling that has happened around here for 20 years!" The major came along the street, caught sight of the colonel and stopped with his hand on his hip. As the colonel made no move of a hostile nature the major slowly ascended the steps, came along down to us and said: "Colonel Johnson, for years ago I happened to state that Captain Gross had a nigger working for him who was blind in the left eye. You picked me up, sah, and said it was the right eye. We parted, sah, and we have not spoken since!"



"LEFT EYE, MAJOR, LEFT EYE!"

"Major, I reckon I was wrong," replied the colonel. "Yes, I reckon I was wrong and you were right. Mount to have told you so long ago, but had no show." "If you still insist that it was the right eye, why?"—and the major threw his hand back. "Oh! no! no! Left eye, major, left eye! How's the cotton coming on, major? Heard you were going in for a powerful big crop this year." "The cotton, sah, the cotton," replied the major as he turned to go, "the cotton is all right. I shall have a powerful crop. Good day, sah." And when he had disappeared in the distance, marching away as stiff as a poker, the colonel turned to me with: "You were speaking with that nigger as I came out. Which eye is it?" "Neither one, colonel! He has as good a pair of eyes as yours or mine." And the colonel softly whispered, "Durn my skin!" and went away to drink alone.

SAVING A SPECIAL. When word came that the train was four hours late, a chunky young man who had on his store clothes and was sticking close to a big black satchel went to the depot master and said: "Got durn the luck anyhow! I was to be married down at Henderson's to-day." "At what hour?" "Seven o'clock." "Girl or widow?" "A widder, who is worth over \$4,000. Can't I hire an engine or something to get me down there?" "Why, yes, I might get you down perhaps, but it would cost you a smart sum. Better telegraph and see if there's any use of your going." "Any use? Why I'm to be married, ain't I?" "You said so, but maybe there's been a slip. You can't always tell about widows, you know. Better send a telegram and ask if everything is all right."

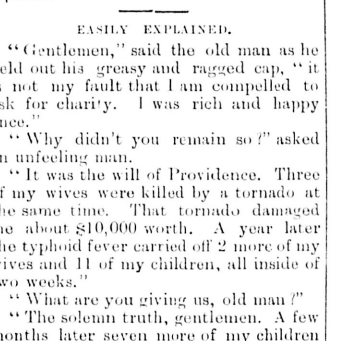
The chunky young man felt insulted and wanted to raise a row, but finally cooled off and sent a telegram to a friend at Henderson's. In about three-quarters of an hour he got an answer. It read: "No use to come on. She married the other fellow this forenoon!" "Saved you at least \$25, besides your trouble," said the depot master as the young man's knees grew weak and he sat down. "We sent him on his way rejoicing."



"SAVED YOU AT LEAST \$25."

BEFORE AND AFTER. "Yas, git right up and ride as fur as I'm goin' anyhow," said the old man as he stopped the wagon and reached me down a hand to get over the wheel. I got a seat on the sheepskin beside him, and as we moved on he continued: "I was over to Grafton to git some things for my darter Jane. Lands! but how they do charge fur women fixin's! Why, you kin bust a dollar bill all to smash in no time. I've got over \$7 wuth of stuff in that bar bundle, and it ain't as big as 10 pounds of brown sugar. Jane's got to hev 'em, though. She's goin on a tower with her aunt." "Going to the seashore?" I asked. "Further than that. I'll hev to pay out over \$40 to git her ready." "To California?"

"Further than that. Look a-here." He took a small parcel from his pocket and handed me the lines while he removed the paper and exhibited a lot of cards on which were printed his daughter's name. I noticed that there were two lots. In the left hand corner of one were the letters "G. to Y." and in the other "B. to Y." I couldn't make out the meaning, but didn't want to ask. He was ready to explain, however. "These here are to use before she goes," he said, "and these arter she gits home. Them keards and the printin cost me just an even \$1. You see, them letters down thar?" "I do." "I had 'em put thar myself. Do you know what they stand fur?" "I must confess that I don't." "Plain as the nose on your face. These here with the 'G. to Y.' on she'll gin out now. That means, 'Goin to Yurup.' The ones with 'B. to Y.' on she'll use arter she gits home. That means, 'Bin to Yurup' and seen every gozsh durned thing of any account from Dan to Be'sheba and back to Jerusalem. Good idea, eh? Lots o' flies around, but none on your Uncle William up to last reports!"



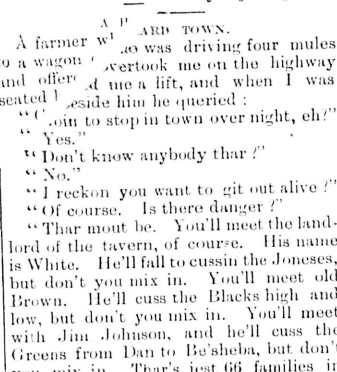
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EASILY EXPLAINED. "Gentlemen," said the old man as he held out his greasy and ragged cap, "it is not my fault that I am compelled to ask for charity. I was rich and happy once." "Why didn't you remain so?" asked an unfeeling man. "It was the will of Providence. Three of my wives were killed by a tornado at the same time. That tornado damaged me about \$10,000 worth. A year later the typhoid fever carried off 2 more of my wives and 11 of my children, all inside of two weeks." "What are you giving us, old man?" "The solemn truth, gentlemen. A few months later seven more of my children were poisoned at the same time, and three more of my wives died of some strange ailment." "That's 8 wives and 18 children! Go on!" "Then there came an epidemic of smallpox, and I lost 5 wives and 19 children inside of six days. We held 12 funerals at once one day. Gentlemen, you can't imagine my grief and consternation." "That's 13 wives and 27 children! Old man, you have struck a new lead. Keep on!" "Then lightning struck my house and killed 4 more of my wives and 8 more of my dear children. I was trying to rally, and I think I could have got on my feet again, when a great storm came and swept away my cattle, tore down my last building and—and—" "And what?" "I have to weep. It is too much. That



"DO YOU KNOW WHAT THEY STAN'D FOR?"

storm caused the death of my last 5 wives and my last 25 children, and I went out into the world a broken hearted man." "That figures up 22 wives and 70 children! Perhaps you don't mind telling us where all this happened?" "No, sir. It happened in Salt Lake. I was a Mormon bishop. Be a for the will of Providence I should have had at least 40 wives and 200 children. Gentlemen, you can help a poor old man?" We sent him on his way rejoicing.



"SAVED YOU AT LEAST \$25."

A FARMER'S ADVICE. A farmer was driving four mules to a wagon and took me on the highway and offered me a lift, and when I was seated beside him he queried: "Goin to stop in town over night, eh?" "Yes." "Don't know anybody thar?" "No." "I reckon you want to git out alive?" "Of course. Is there danger?" "Thar must be. You'll meet the landlord of the tavern, of course. His name is White. He'll fall to cussin the Joneses, but don't you mix in. You'll meet old Brown. He'll cuss the Blacks high and low, but don't you mix in. You'll meet with Jim Johnson, and he'll cuss the Greens from Dan to Be'sheba, but don't you mix in. Thar's just 66 families in the town, and they are all related to each other by marriage. They spend seven days a week cussin each other, but the stranger who comes along and mixes in gits hurt." "I'll be careful." "You'll hev to. If you see an old woman in a poke bonnet ridin a spotted cow, with a grist behind, don't laugh. If a couple of dogs begin to fight, do you make for down cellar. If thar's a hoss trade goin on, do you stand clear. I anybody begins to discuss politics or religion, go to your room and lock the door. You'll see a heap o' bow-legged, cross-eyed, lopshouldered folk, but if you fetch just one grin you're a goner." "How do you get along when in town?" I asked. "Me? Oh, I live on the other side and only drive through occasionally when I'm obliged to. Then I put the hosses on a dead run, look straight ahead, and if anybody yells at me I purtend to be deaf and dumb." M. QUAD.

MY LITTLE BOY. GENTLEMEN—My little boy had a severe hacking cough and could not sleep at night. I tried Haygarth's Pectoral Balsam and it cured him very quickly. MRS. J. HACKETT, Liawood, Ont.

NYE ON LITERATURE

His opinions on Prose and Poetical Efforts Submitted to Him.

Advice on a Comic Oration—Treatise on Books—Poetry by an Unknown.

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Recently I have received a number of communications, both prose and poetry, all asking me my opinion of the work. I select a few of the most pronounced. Some of them I have changed a little to make the lines run more smoothly, just as great editors every little while add sentiments of their own to my work, thus

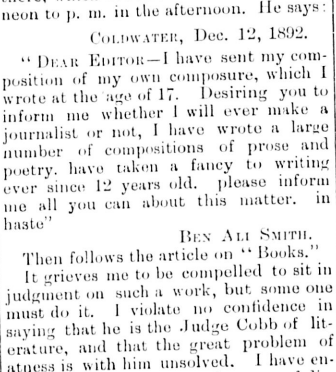


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giving currency to ideas that otherwise would be killed by the printer. People often wonder why editors look so drawn and sad. It is not lack of food that gets the editor down so, but the criticism he hears in the composing room and the rasping of the printer's steel rule on his case. If the editor could suspend the rules in these cases, he would not suffer so. "Andrew A. Smith, inventive genius, counselor of new and practical ideas and dealer in hard and soft coal," writes a good hand, but his piece is too sad, and there is a remoteness about the points that would make the use of the article, especially in a hilly country, impracticable and no good. "Alick Van Passerup of New Berlin, Union county, Pa., writes as follows:

"Mr. Nye—I have been requested to deliver a comic oration at Central Pennsylvania college on the 13th of June. I thought perhaps you would have a few words that would be amusing to our audience on such an occasion. I am going to state in my oration that I have been corresponding with you and give them your answer (if any) in my oration." It would be better, Alick, for you to deliver your first comic talk and be killed now than to wait 20 years and suffer all that time. Just do the best you can, and between whiles and while you are thinking of other comic thoughts you can wipe the rochefort cheese of your glasses. Anything comical should be spontaneous. If you succeed, I will get you to write a lecture for me that would be comic. I never could. When you said you would deliver a comic oration and then put your trust in me for the material, Alick, you failed. The ball—made a bad play—lost tally and corked yourself.

N. B.—Leave your best suit of clothes at home when delivering a "comic oration." Then you will have something to wear the next day. We next pass on to speak of another young man who aspires to more serious literature. He writes as follows, the name only having been changed for the sake of his little sister and a couple of parents who ought to know better than to bring him in the world and then encourage him to write for the press. I should be glad to show these pieces if they will take the trouble to call at 32 Vesey street during my office hours there, which are from a. m. in the forenoon to p. m. in the afternoon. He says:



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COLDWATER, Dec. 12, 1892. "DEAR EDITOR—I have sent my composition of my own composition, which I wrote at the age of 17. Desiring you to inform me whether I will ever make a journalist or not, I have written a large number of compositions of prose and poetry, have taken a fancy to writing ever since 12 years old, please inform me all you can about this matter, in haste" BEN ALI SMITH. Then follows the article on "Books." It grieves me to be compelled to sit in judgment on such a work, but some one must do it. I violate no confidence in saying that he is the Judge Cobb of literature, and that the great problem of atness is with him unsolved. I have endeavored to give it more clearness of diction, but without success. Here is the treatise: BOOKS. Books are a very useful thing for mankind, they help cultivate the mind and strengthen the memory their chief use is popular to every cultivated or uncultivated memory a part of the chief source of knowledge is derived from books. Suppose for instance your child was suffering from disease and you knew not what in your power of thought what to give to relieve her what must be done in this case why a search for a knowledge maintainable to relieve his or her suffering, where will that knowledge arise from why if there is a book treating on disease and a cure which she can provide by preparation for her child the cure will relieve his or her suffering Where would the knowledge in that case come from I from a book. The ordinary books of the present day are divided into two classes, good books and bad books. A good book contains that which is pure and sentimental what will enrich the mind in full store and a good book

pertains to useful knowledge that which is a true event or that which might possibly happen. While on the other hand a bad book contains unuseful reading that which could do the mind or character harm. That book which is lude or profane will lead a pure honorable character down to a miserable downcast untrodden life. Of selecting books to read beware of the false titles on their cover those which seem good may be poor and miserable and when the minds deepest chain of thought is bound to read them unfasten the chain and free the mind from reading them. We should select good books with a prize to cultivate the mind with their useful reading and lay up in our mind a storehouse of their good. We should be attached to good reading human nature sometimes inclines us toward the other way but we should in all cases overcome the strongholds of nature and by the help of a higher power govern them toward the right. We should enjoy useful reading because in some cases we might learn something we did not know or think of. What shall we say in reply to this letter?

In his division of books of course he has made a mistake. Instead of dividing books into good and bad books, I should divide them into books which will or will not elevate a child if used at table in the proper spirit. Even lude books may do this. I had sent me at one time a large, beautiful book called "The Gully Crime" and written by a young girl. It was not a lude book, though it went into the social problem a little deeper than I had, being a busy man anyway, with no time to be morbid, but my son for three years at table used that book to elevate himself, and now he is what's called a half back at one of our best colleges. When we speak of books, we should define the question of what we are going to use them for.

I had a second cousin killed in Maine two years ago by a blow on the head with a book which was pronounced by Mr. Winter to be "that, inane and utterly weak." I had a set of encyclopedias once, 20 volumes of it, with no information in them, and yet when I was lying with a broken leg on an old hospital bed in my own room, and the bed broke down, leaving me on the gable of my head, with the broken leg in the air, held there by a pulley and 10-pound weight extension, kind hands slowly built up an abutment of encyclopedias till once more I rested in a horizontal way. All this was due to a cyclopedia, which, as Gene Field, who had one like it, told me, always referred him to "Maternity" when he hunted in it for "Baby," and it was eight years before he got the maternity volume. He also said that when he hunted for "Apple" he was referred to "Zymology," a book that came seven years after he quit farming. I close with an effort in verse, not giving the author's name, as I desire



NYE'S BROKEN LEG.

to bring the author out gradually. If the piece be well received, I may use more of them. You will be surprised when you hear what the author's name is. The first one who guesses it, by enclosing \$10, will get the true name of the author in autograph. So will the second one.

IN MEMORIAM. One bright star lay morning In eighteen hundred and ninety-two I walked up the road Some domestic work to do. I chanced to meet on that morn Two gentlemen and a lady too. Said they, "We were well. As they inquired how I was. This was April, the second day. And he hurried on their way To the ordination Of J. B. Hattyway."

The day rolled on, And when the sun was gone This lady and these two gentlemen Were on their way home. I met them again And the lady's husband said, "I am suffering from a pain With sick and aching head." This was at Catalpa, A friendly bit of advice, And the people that stay round here Are full of grace and one thing another. Said I to the sufferer, "Thar's a medicine here, I'm sure, That will cure you of your sick-head, And aching head too." And upon this recommendation The medicine he said he'd try. For he was suffering intense misery Around the nose and eyes. And after calling for some mail He started on his way home, Thinking very little. 'Twas the last I'd ever hear from.

But ah! another week Had only passed away When the sufferer of this man meek By death was at last allayed.

Nor how I balled up when she asked me to pray. "J. B. Hattyway is still loved and remembered by those who have not forgotten him and who still feel an affection for him." BILL NYE.

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To take effect at 8:00 a.m. on Monday, May 1st, 1893. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

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LUCKY numbers in Morris' popular Saturday night's drawing—10, 1 and 9885.

DR. GEORGE DUNCAN, City Health officer, leaves this morning for Darcey Island to visit the leper colony.

ARRANGEMENTS are now being made for a dance at the Mount Baker hotel to be held in about a month. Particulars will be announced later.

A PORT ANGELES dispatch says that invitations have been sent to Victoria lodges to attend the A.O.U.W. picnic at that place on July 4.

The final full business course at the National Business College in this city will open to-morrow, the principal, E. J. O'Sullivan, C.E., having arranged to remove from Victoria, on the completion of the new term.

The City has at last done something in the way of repairing the Oak Bay road and some gravel has been placed on it to fill up the holes. More gravel and a few applications of the steam roller will put the road in excellent condition.

LAST Friday evening a farewell social was tendered to Rev. and Mrs. Coverdale Watson and Rev. and Mrs. J. H. White, at the Chinese mission on Fisgard street. On Wednesday next the Methodists of Spring Ridge, who now have a school of over seventy, will give Mr. and Mrs. Watson a farewell, the former having been the originator of the Ferawood road school.

YESTERDAY morning the funeral of the late Mrs. Heanish was held from 191 Chatham street and St. Andrew's R. C. cathedral, where Rev. Father Mandart celebrated high requiem mass, Rev. Father Van Nevel officiating at the grave. The pall-bearers were Messrs. A. Macdonald, M. Bantley, William Lennox, J. Lawson, J. Perry and J. Leaky.

MONDAY evening's meeting of the City Council bids fair to be a lively one. The Estimates by-law will again come up for discussion on the question of reduction of the School Board estimates. It is also proposed to take the opinion of the Council on the Mayor's ruling Friday night, when he refused to put a motion to reconsider and increase an item of proposed expenditure.

At to-morrow evening's meeting of the City Council Ald. Belyea's two resolutions relating to sewerage matters will come up for consideration. Ald. McKillop will also present a resolution providing for the collection of civic taxes, and another to authorize the sale of lands within the city upon which taxes are in arrears. Ald. Bragg will move that the services of Edward Mohn as sanitary engineer be dispensed with.

THURSDAY, June 22, is the day fixed for the consecration of St. Mark's church on the completion of the chancel just erected at a cost of \$1,000. The consecration proper will be performed at 11 a.m. by the Lord Bishop of Columbia, assisted by a large number of clergy, and there will be a festive evening at 8 o'clock the same evening, at which also the Bishop will preach. A confirmation will be held at St. Mark's on the evening of Tuesday, the 4th of July.

The contractors for the excavation for the new Government buildings, J. A. Phillips & Co., wish to correct the impression made by the Trades and Labor Council as reported yesterday. The council, after mentioning this contract, say "the reason labor was scarce was that the wages offered were \$1.75 per day." The contractors wish it stated that they are paying nothing less than \$2 per day of ten hours for unskilled laborers, and not less than \$2.50 for concrete work. They have had to refuse a number of men seeking employment at these prices.

When the case of T. H. Berg, charged with infraction of the Revenue by-law, was called in the Police Court yesterday morning the defendant failed to appear and a bench warrant was forthwith issued for his arrest. Shortly afterwards Berg turned up and asked for an adjournment till Tuesday, but when he found that, failing to procure bail for \$100, he would have to remain in custody, he retained Mr. T. Fell as counsel and the case was opened. Mr. Fell, on the ground that the summons being issued on June 10, more than three months after March 6, the date of the alleged offence, was contrary to law, obtained his client's release, the magistrate dismissing the case.

PROPERTY OWNERS on Stanley avenue petitioned last year to have the street graded and sidewalks laid on both sides under the local improvement system. A by-law to carry this out was introduced in the Council and passed through several stages, but has never been carried into effect. There is now another proposition on foot, viz: that the city shall put the street in a passable condition and the property holders will lay the sidewalk at their own expense without any local improvement by-law at all. Stanley avenue is at present in a disgraceful condition, it being a practical impossibility to drive down it safely, while even pedestrians find difficulty in getting along. The residents think they are being very shabbily treated.

ANOTHER railway agency is to be opened in this railway shortly. Mr. P. P. Shelby, general manager of the Great Northern railway Coast lines, who is at present in town in connection with the road, is the authority for the statement. Though at present the Great Northern has made arrangements for handling the Victoria freight business at Liverpool, by way of the C.P.N. and C.P.R. lines, Mr. Shelby says that the intention is, before long, to give Victoria direct communication with their transcontinental line at Fairhaven. By next Sunday the line through the mountains as first-class, with light grades. The legal troubles at Seattle having been settled satisfactorily for the railway, terminal work is proceeding rapidly. Every effort will be made to give Victoria as satisfactory a service as possible.

The Victoria agent will be Charles Rattray, jr., formerly of this city.

ALL the celebration accounts so far presented have been paid, and it is requested that if any are yet outstanding, they may be promptly presented, so that the business may be finished.

ARRANGEMENTS have been made by the management of the Mount Baker hotel to have a brass band at Oak Bay on July 1, Dominion Day, when a good celebration will be held there. Yacht races are to be provided, and other attractive events are also probable.

A FINE photograph of the steamer Aberdeen, launched on May 23, for traffic on Okanagan lake, has been issued by A. D. Morgan, photo artist, of Vernon, and forms an interesting souvenir of the occasion. The picture includes a pretty view of the hills adjacent, and is on sale at T. N. Hibben & Co.'s.

The following is a resolution which will be moved by Rev. W. H. P. Arden, of St. Mark's church during the sitting of the Anglican Synod on the 29th and 30th of this month: "That we, in synod assembled, representing the Anglican church in Vancouver Island, herewith record our disapproval of the anti-Christian character of our land laws, and further extend our hearty sympathy to those who are laboring for the introduction of the single tax as a step towards Christian socialism."

ABOUT forty guileless people expressed their appreciation of "art as it is known," by attending the Victoria theatre last evening, where the Sin Hui Tui opera company presented about the rankest show ever seen in Victoria. Most of the audience, however, showed their good sense by leaving after the first act. The alleged play was simply flat and about as expressive and amusing as the average conversation in a Fisgard street Chinese laundry. Even the Chinese who constituted over half of the audience went home disgusted.

A. M. BEATTIE, of Vancouver, has been in the city for a few days on business pertaining to the shipments of fruits by the Mowera. Mr. Beattie has associated himself with Thos. Semans, Tacoma, and T. W. Harvey, who will be the resident partner in Honolulu, and will superintend all purchases and shipments to Puget Sound and British Columbia. Mr. Beattie will handle the business for British Columbia, the Northwest Territories and Eastern points; Mr. Semans that for the Sound cities as far as Portland. Regular shipments from Honolulu can be depended upon, and the enterprise is bound to cut into the San Francisco trade in the products of the Sandwich Islands. So far, Mr. Beattie says he has met with every encouragement from the owners of the Australian line, and dealers in this section, having just completed a large sale to S. Leiser of the first importation and placed a large order for next steamer to arrive. In return freight, Mr. Beattie is sending a large quantity of cedar shingles. He intends to watch closely the requirements of both countries.

ANOTHER Raymond excursion party arrived yesterday, from the Sound, and they will spend to-day in Victoria. Their headquarters here are as usual the Drifard. The party consists of the following: Mrs. J. H. Thorndyke, Miss S. E. Richardson, Mrs. W. H. Hart, Duncan S. Merwin, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Turner, Miss Margaret Turner, Everett P. Turner, Howard G. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Warner, Mrs. Thomas Webster, Miss Mary Webster, Mrs. L. G. White, Miss Helen White, Rev. H. L. Edwards, of Boston; Miss S. M. Godbold, Miss C. Godbold, of Chelsea, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hall, J. A. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kirtledge, Miss Ethel Kirtledge, Miss Clarissa Kirtledge, of Brookline, Mass.; Mrs. N. A. Francis, Mrs. Mary H. F. Wood, Miss Mabel F. Wood, of Cambridge, Mass.; Mrs. A. M. Sawyer, of Oakdale, Mass.; Miss Mary O. Pittman, of Fall River, Mass.; M. D. Lechtenwallner, of Reading, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. R. Case, of Flemington, N. J.; Mrs. Edward Stern, of Brussels, Belgium; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cummings, of Philadelphia; Mrs. J. T. Foster, Miss Allie Foster of Baltimore; Miss M. S. Barker, of Oakland, Cal.; C. B. Ganssen, of Cincinnati; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thomas, Miss C. W. Thomas, Miss E. West, of King of Prussia, Pa.; Mrs. H. L. Worthington, Miss L. Worthington, of Buckingham, Pa.

PERSONAL.

Charles Butler, of Port Townsend, is at the Drifard.
E. M. Phillips, of Tacoma, is a guest at the Drifard.
C. A. Mitchell and wife, of Seattle, are at the Drifard.
Stephan Moss, of Indiana, is registered at the Victoria.
J. A. Kaufman, of Livingston, Mont., is at the Victoria.
Rev. H. L. Edwards was a passenger from the Sound last evening.
C. H. Jonnett and wife, of San Francisco, are guests at the Drifard.
James O'Neill returned from the Sound last evening by the Kingston.
Harry Witt and Charles Stevens, of San Francisco, are at the Victoria.
Charles O. Perkins and Charles A. Cooke, of Boston, are registered at the Drifard.
W. M. Cole, of Winnipeg, and William DeWolf, of Seattle, are staying at the Oriental.
Rev. J. M. McLeod, of Vancouver, is in the city. He is expected to preach in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church to-day.
F. Bakeman, president and managing director of the British Pacific Construction Co., leaves for England via San Francisco and New York, in the course of a day or two.
L. A. Delamater, of Tacoma, formerly of Philadelphia, who has been spending a few days in Victoria, the guest of Col. A. J. Kane, left by the City of Kingston last evening. Mr. Delamater was the Democratic candidate for the State of Pennsylvania at the last campaign.
Through passage to or from Europe via any of the Atlantic lines can be most cheaply arranged at C. P. R. Office, corner Port and Government streets.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

Squally Weather Interferes With Oak Bay Regatta—Northfield's Cinder Path Opened.

Victoria Club Leads in Cricket League Matches—Capitals Defeat Montreal.

YESTERDAY'S threatening weather and nasty squalls at intervals were the only drawbacks to yesterday's regatta at Oak Bay, under the combined management of the Victoria Canoe Club and the Victoria Yachting Club. At noon there was quite a little shower of rain, but after that it brightened up and only now and then did the dark clouds gather. They brought no rain, but instead there was wind, not the quiet steady breeze which delights the yachtsman's heart, but the intermittent puffs and squalls that are the especial terror of the new hand in a sailing craft. The result was that two mishaps occurred, neither serious, but both inconvenient, to say the least. First, in the yacht race, the *Sauil*, sailed by Stewart, with Charley Findlaison and Harry Jones as crew, was upset while ginging, and the three sailors had to hang to the keel for about 15 minutes until they were hauled aboard the *Rita*. Later on Mr. A. S. Gore was upset in his fast little Peterborough sailer, but he too was not far from shore and was picked up before his involuntary bath had time to do him any harm. For the rest there was a fairly good attendance, choice music by C. Battery band, and a gay time generally, thanks to the exertions of the management of the Mount Baker hotel. About eighty guests subsequently stayed to dinner and participated in the impromptu dance, which wound up the day's dance.

All the races were behind time in starting, but the canoeing events were run off first. In the tandem paddle race there were three starters—H. C. Macaulay and Max Heap, E. A. S. Gore and Foster Mawdsley, E. Monro and F. Higgins. They took first, second and third prizes in the order named. The starters in the single paddle race were H. C. Macaulay, H. B. Rogers, T. S. Gore and E. Monro, who finished in the same order. The four paddle race was won by H. C. Macaulay's crew, consisting of himself, Max Heap, A. S. Gore and Foster Mawdsley. Second prize was taken by C. M. Page, A. Richardson, E. Monro and F. Higgins, and third by W. Williams, H. Fleming, P. Wollaston and K. Middleton. The ladies' tandem was an exciting event, contested by H. C. Macaulay and Miss Mabel Gaudin, P. Wollaston and Miss Wollaston, Foster Mawdsley and Miss Byron, C. M. Page and Miss Nelson. It was won by Mr. Macaulay and Miss Gaudin, with Mr. and Mrs. Wollaston a good second, Foster Mawdsley and Miss Byron third. The flying match was also very interesting and the two crews, E. Monro and F. Higgins, C. M. Page and Henry Crane, were awarded first and second prizes respectively, although they all went in the water. The canoe sailing races were declared off.

The yacht race suffered considerably on account of the late start and also because of adverse winds, tides and unknown reefs. The *Volge* was an easy winner in her class, being half the course ahead the second time around, but she landed on a reef or a kelp bed, and here stuck fast for some time afterward, being compelled to head for Cordova Bay instead of coming home, as she would otherwise have done. The *Seud* had a bad start fully five minutes behind hand and was upset. The *Mona*, "C" Battery boat, gave up the race after one cruise around and came back to anchor. The others continued the race, the *Swallow* winning, with the *Victoria* second and the others uncertain. The final arrangement of time allowance, etc., may make a difference in the reckoning. Every one regretted the accident to the *Volge*, which was sailing finely and setting the pace. The *Swallow* adds another to her list of victories in class C.

CRICKET.

YESTERDAY afternoon, at Beacon Hill, a return match was played between these clubs, which resulted in a win for the College by thirty runs. The Victoria Juniors went in first and were dismissed for thirty-two; Goward and Wilson bowling very well. Wilson took six wickets for fourteen, and Goward four wickets for seventeen. Field and Cartwright put on twenty-one for the first wicket, and Higgins knocked up thirteen, the innings closing for sixty-two. McCulloch bowled well for the Victoria Juniors, taking five wickets for ten runs. The fielding was good throughout, but the ground made running very difficult. On Wednesday, the second eleven of the College met the second eleven of the Cathedral choir, and on Thursday the first eleven of the same clubs will play a match at Beacon Hill.

Victoria Juniors.
D. MacLeod, b. Wilson..... 7
E. H. Ward, b. Wilson..... 6
F. Fletcher, b. Wilson..... 6
C. Trimmer, b. Goward..... 5
A. Macdonald, b. Goward..... 5
A. C. Anderson, b. Wilson..... 3
R. Johnston, b. Wilson..... 1
P. Hiltner, b. Goward..... 0
G. MacLeod, b. Wilson..... 0
F. Smith, b. Goward..... 0
S. Boyne, not out..... 1
Extras..... 1
Total..... 32

Corrig College.
A. Field, c. Ward, Anderson..... 11
C. Cartwright, b. Anderson..... 9
H. Scheldt, c. Macdonald, b. McCulloch..... 5
A. Kirt, c. Johnston, b. McCulloch..... 2
R. Wilson, run out..... 0
A. Goward, b. McCulloch..... 0
G. Wilson, b. McCulloch..... 0
E. Kerr, c. b. Anderson..... 2
P. Higgins, c. Johnston, b. McCulloch..... 13
F. Hiltner, not out..... 0
Extras..... 1
Total..... 62

VICTORIA V. ALBIONS.
This match, which is the third in the league competition to be played in this city, resulted yesterday afternoon in a win for Victoria by 70 runs on the first innings, the respective totals being 118 and 48. The wicket, which had been an excellent one, was rather spoiled by Friday night's heavy rain, but though slow, played fairly true until late in the afternoon, when it became very bumpy, and the result was numerous catches in the slips. The Victoria captain won the toss and went first to bat, and the venture was so far successful that the respectable total of 118 was reached before the innings closed. Of this score Hon. Edgar Dewdney was responsible for 28, put together by careful play of dangerous balls and timely hitting

of wild ones. Goward's 18 included two sixes from clean hits out of the field.

When the Albions started their innings things looked rather blue, as the first four wickets fell for seven runs, but upon H. J. Martin being joined by Gibbons a livelier aspect was placed upon the game. J. E. Martin, upon joining his brother, also did his share of scoring, and helped to bring the total up to 48, for which score the innings closed.

The wind was very high and greatly favored the bowler, who had it at his back, but this should not in any way depreciate the value of Bart's and Cathbert's analysis, which were 8 for 32 and 5 for 32, respectively. Prentiss, though put on late in the game, did good execution, taking three wickets for eleven runs.

The full score is appended:
Victoria.
P. J. Irving, c. J. E. Martin, b. Cathbert..... 6
L. C. Bart, c. Gibbons, b. Cathbert..... 6
S. F. Morley, c. H. J. Martin, b. Cathbert..... 12
A. G. Smith, b. W. B. Cathbert..... 4
A. T. Goward, b. Cathbert..... 18
W. A. Ward, b. Gibbons..... 11
Hon. E. Dewdney, b. Prentiss..... 28
B. H. Drake, b. Thomas..... 14
D. J. Prentiss, b. Thomas..... 4
B. J. Perry, not out..... 8
L. H. Martin, b. Prentiss..... 2
Extras..... 7
Total..... 118

Albions.
A. A. Green, b. Bart..... 1
F. G. Fowkes, b. Goward..... 0
C. Schwegers, b. Goward..... 0
Cathbert, c. Perry, b. Bart..... 2
H. J. Martin, c. Drake, b. Bart..... 9
W. Prentiss, b. Bart..... 28
F. Gibbons, c. Drake, b. Bart..... 10
J. E. Martin, b. Bart..... 11
Thomas, c. Irving, b. Bart..... 5
Henry, not out..... 2
Bayne, b. Bart..... 1
Extras..... 2
Total..... 48

Bowling Analysis—Victoria.
O. M. R. W.
Cathbert..... 11 0 32 5
Fowkes..... 7 0 20 0
Gibbons..... 8 3 22 1
Prentiss..... 3 0 6 0
Thomas..... 12 5 19 1
Perry..... 2 3 11 3

Bowling Analysis—Albions.
O. M. R. W.
Goward..... 17 5 17 2
Bart..... 17 4 32 8

UNITED BANKS V. ROYAL DOCKYARD.
Played at Esquimalt and won by the Dockyard club by six wickets. The following is the score:
1st Innings. UNITED BANKS. **2nd Innings.**
Goward b. Wallis..... 7 b. Wallis..... 0
Paterson b. Wallis..... 4 b. McAnally..... 13
Haines b. McAnally..... 0 b. Wallis..... 0
Homes b. Wallis..... 0 not out..... 0
Holt b. Wallis..... 1 b. McAnally..... 0
Applegath b. Wallis..... 1 c. Goodman b. Wallis..... 19
Pegram c. b. Wallis..... 3 b. Wallis..... 2
Mytton b. Wallis..... 0 b. Wallis..... 2
Wilson b. McAnally..... 0 did not bat
Johnston, not out..... 0 not out..... 0
Extras..... 6
Total..... 22 Innings declared 43 closed.

ROYAL DOCKYARD.
1st Innings. **2nd Innings.**
Goepel b. Paterson..... 1 Not out..... 2
McAnally c. Applegath..... 4 b. Goward..... 0
Fulter b. Goward..... 0 b. Goward..... 0
McDway b. Paterson..... 9 b. Paterson..... 22
Wallis b. Paterson..... 1 Not out..... 11
Goodwin c. Applegath..... 0
b. Paterson..... 0
Glen c. Pegram b. Paterson..... 2
Ferre c. Holt b. Paterson..... 1
son..... 1
Claytons b. Goward..... 0
Harding b. Paterson..... 0
Foulton, not out..... 0 c. and b. Paterson..... 0
Extras..... 5 Extras..... 6
Total..... 23 Total..... 43

THE OAR.
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CHAPTER XIV.
THE BASS.



The Bass.

I had no thought where they were taking me; only looked here and there for the appearance of a ship. If I were to be exposed a second time to that same former danger of the plantations, I judged it must turn ill with me. There was no second Alan, and no second shipwreck and spare yard to be expected now, and I saw myself hoe tobacco under the whip's lash. The thought chilled me. The air was sharp upon the water, the stretchers of the boat drenched with a cold dew, and I shivered in my place beside the steersman. This was the dark man whom I have called hitherto the lowlander. His name was Dale, ordinarily called Black Andie. Feeling the thrill of my shiver, he very kindly handed me a rough jacket full of fish scales, with which I was glad to cover myself.

"I thank you for this kindness," said I, "and will make so free as to repay it with a warning. You take a high responsibility in this affair. You are not like these ignorant, barbarous highlanders, but know what the law is and the risks of those that break it."

"I am no just exactly what ye would call an extremist for the law," says he, "at the best of times, but in this business I act with a good warranty."

"What are you going to do with me?" I asked.

"Nae harm," said he, "nae harm, aye. Ye'll have strong friends, I'm thinking. Ye'll be richt enough yet."

There began to fall a grayness on the face of the sea. Little dabs of pink and like coals of slow fire came in the east, and at the same time the geese awakened and began crying about the top of the Bass. It is just the one cry of rock, as everybody knows, but great enough to carve a city from. The sea was extremely little, but there went a hollow plow round the base of it. With the growing of the dawn I could see it clearer and clearer. The stray crabs painted with sea birds' droppings like a morning frost, the sloping top of it green with grass, the clan of white geese that dived among the sides, and the black, broken buildings of the prison sitting close on the sea's edge.

At the sight the truth came in upon me in a clap.

"It's no there you're taking me," I cried.

"Just to the Bass, mannie," said he. "Wham the auld saints were afore ye, and I misdoubt if ye have come so fairly by your prison."

"But none dwells there now," I cried. "The place is long a ruin."

"It'll be the mair pleasant a change fur the solan geese, then," quoth Andie dryly.

The day coming slowly brighter, I observed on the bilge, among the big stones with which fisher folk ballast their boats, several kegs and baskets and a provision of fuel. All these were discharged upon the crag. Andie, myself and my three highlanders (I call them mine, although it was the other way about) landed along with them. The sun was not yet up when the boat moved away again. The noise of the oars on the tholepins echoed from the cliffs and left us in our singular reclusion.

Andie Dale was the prefect (as I would jocularly call him) of the Bass, being at once the shepherd and the gamekeeper of that small and rich estate. He had to mind the dozen or so sheep that fed and fattened on the grass of the sloping part of it, like beasts grazing the roof of a cathedral. He had charge besides of the solan geese that roosted in the crags, and from these an extraordinary income is derived. The young are dainty eating, as much as 2 shillings apiece being a common price and paid willingly by epicures; even the grown birds are valuable for their oil and feathers, and a part of the minister's stipend of North Berwick is paid to this day in solan geese, which makes it (in some folks' eyes) a parish to be coveted.

To perform these several businesses, as well as to protect the geese from poachers, Andie had frequent occasion to sleep and pass days together on the crag, and we found the man at home there like a farmer in his steading. Bidding us all shoulder some of the packages, a matter in which I made haste to bear a hand, he led us in by a locked gate, which was the only admission to the island, and through the ruins of the fortress to the governor's house. There we saw, by the ashes in the chimney and a standing bed place in one corner, that he made his usual occupation.

The bed he new offered me to use, saying he supposed I would set up to be gentry.

"My gentrification has nothing to do with where I lie," said I. "I bless God I have lain hard ere now and can do the same again with thankfulness. While I am here, Mr. Andie, if that be your name, I will do my part and take my place beside the rest of you, and I ask you, on the other hand, to spare me your mockery, which I own I like ill."

He grumbled a little at this speech, but seemed upon reflection to approve it. Indeed, he was a long-headed, sensible man and a good Whig and Presbyterian, read daily in a pocket Bible and was both able and eager to converse seriously on religion, leaning more than a little toward the Cameronian extremes. His morals were of a more doubtful color. I found he was deep in the free trade and used the ruins of Tantallon for a magazine of smuggled merchandise.

All the time of my stay on the rock we lived well. We had small ale and brandy and oatmeal, of which we made our porridge night and morning. At times a bout came from the Castleton and brought us a quarter of mutton, for the sheep upon the rock we must not touch, these being specially fed to market. The geese were unfortunately out of season, and we let them be. We fished ourselves, and yet more often made the geese to fish for us, observing one when he had made a capture and scaring him from his prey ere he had swallowed it. A part of our fuel even was supplied us by these singular fowl, for in the building of their nests they employ all manner of material, and among others sticks of trees. In one old nest that I examined I found the rags of a man's red coat built in, about the color of a soldier's, but finer in the stuff. In another was the part of a face of a great 8-day clock, the figures of the dial still to be distinguished.

The strange nature of this place and the curiosities with which it abounded held me busy and amused. Escape being impossible, I was allowed my entire liberty and continually explored the surface of the isle wherever it might support the foot of man. The old garden of the prison was still to be observed, with flowers and pot herbs running wild and some ripe cherries on a bush. A little lower stood a chapel or a hermit's cell; who built or dwelt in it none may know, and the thought of its age made a ground of many meditations. The prison, too, where I now bivouacked with highland cattle thieves, was a place full of history, both human and divine.

I thought it strange so many saints and martyrs should have gone by there so recently and left not so much as a leaf out of their Bibles or a name carved upon the wall, while the rough soldier lads that mounted guard upon the battlements had filled the neighborhood with their moments—broken tobacco pipes for the most part, and that in a surprising plenty, but also metal buttons from their coats. There were times when I thought I could have heard the pious sound of psalms out of the martyrs' dungeons and seen the soldiers tramp the ramparts with their glinting pipes and the dawn rising behind them out of the North sea.

No doubt it was a good deal Andie and his tales that put these fancies in my head. He was extraordinary well acquainted with the story of the rock in all particulars, down to the names of private soldiers, his father having served there in that same capacity. He was gifted besides with a natural genius for narration, so that the people seemed to speak and the things to be done before your face. This gift of his and my assiduity to listen brought us the more close together. I could not honestly deny but what I liked him. I soon saw that he liked me, and indeed from the first I had set myself out to capture his good will. An odd circumstance—to be told presently—effected this beyond my expectation, but even in earlier days we made a friendly pair to be a prisoner and his jailer.

I should trifle with my conscience if I pretended my stay upon the Bass was wholly disagreeable. It seemed to me a safe place, as though I was escaped there out of my troubles. No harm was to be offered me. A material impossibility, rock and deep sea, prevented me from fresh attempts. I felt I had my life safe and my honor safe, and there were times when I allowed myself to gloat on them like stolen waters. At other times my thoughts were very different. I recalled how strong I had expressed myself both to Rankellar and to Stewart. I reflected that my captivity upon the Bass in view of a great part of the coasts of Fife and Lothian was a thing I should be thought more likely to have invented than endured, and in the eyes of these two gentlemen at least I must pass for a boaster and a coward.

Now, I would take this lightly enough; tell myself that so long as I stood well with Catriona Drummond the opinion of the rest of man was but moonshine and spilled water, and thence pass off into those meditations of a lover which are so delightful to himself and must always appear so surprisingly idle to a reader. But anon the fear would take me otherwise; I would be shaken with a panic of self-esteem, and those supposed hard judgments appear an injustice impossible to be supported. With that another train of thought would be presented, and I had scarce begun to be concerned about men's judgments of myself than I was haunted with the remembrance of James Stewart in his dungeon and the

lamentations of his wife. Then indeed passion began to work in me; I could not forgive myself to sit there idle; it seemed (if I were a man at all) that I could fly or swim out of my place of safety, and it was in such humors and to amuse myself reproaches that I would set the more particularly to win the good side of Andie Dale.

At last, when we two were alone on the summit of the rock on a bright morning, I put in some hint about a bribe. He looked at me, cast back his head and laughed out loud.

"Aye, you're funny, Mr. Dale," said I, "but perhaps if you'll glance an eye upon that paper you may change your note."

The stupid highlanders had taken from me at the time of my seizure nothing but hard money, and the paper I now showed Andie was an acknowledgment from the British Linen company for a considerable sum.

He read it. "Troth, and ye're nane sae ill off," said he.

"I thought that would maybe vary your opinions," said I.

"Hout!" said he, "it shaws me ye can bribe, but I'm no to be bribed."

"We'll see about that yet awhile," said I. "And, first, I'll show you that I know what I am talking. You have orders to detain me here till after Thursday, 21st September."

"Ye're no altogether wrong either," says Andie. "I'm to let ye gang, bar orders contrair, on Saturday, the 23d."

I could not but feel there was something extremely insidious in this arrangement. That I was to reappear precisely in time to be too late would cast the more discredit on my tale, if I were minded to tell one, and this screwed me to fighting point.

"Now, then, Andie, you that kens the world listen to me and think while ye listen," said I. "I know there are great folks in the business, and I make no doubt you have their names to go upon. I have seen some of them myself since this affair began and said my say into their faces too. But what kind of a crime would this be that I had committed, or what kind of a process is this that I have fallen under? To be apprehended by some ragged John Highwaymen on Aug. 30, carried to a rick of old stones that is now neither fort nor goal (whatever it once was), but just the gamekeeper's lodge of the Bass rock, and set free again on Sept. 23 as secretly as I was first arrested—does that sound like law to you, or does it sound like justice, or does it not sound honestly like a piece of some low, dirty intrigue, of which the very folk that meddle with it are ashamed?"

"I cannae gainsay ye, Shaws. It looks unco underhand," says Andie. "And were nae the folk guid sound Whigs and true blue Presbyterians I would have seen them ayont Jordan and Jerrold or I would have set hand to it."

"The master of Lovat'll be a brave Whig," says I, "and a grand Presbyterian."

"I ken naething by him," said he. "I hae nae troakings wi' Lovats."

"No, it'll be Prestongrange that you'll be dealing with," said I.

"Ah, but I'll no tell ye that," said Andie.

"Little need when I ken," was my retort.

"There's just the ae thing ye can be fairly sure of, Shaws," says Andie. "And that is that (try as ye please) I'm no dealin' wi' yourself, nor yet I am nae goin' to," he added.

"Well, Andie, I see I'll have to speak out plain with you," I replied. And I told him so much as I thought needful of the facts.

He heard me out with serious interest, and when I had done seemed to consider a little with himself.

"Shaws," said he at last, "I'll deal with the naked hand. It's a queer tale, and nae very creditable the way you tell it. And I'm far frae minting that is other than the way that ye believe it. As for yourself, ye seem to me rather a decentlike young man. But me, that's aulder and mair judeicious, see perhaps a wee bit forrit in the job than what ye can dae. And here is the matter clear and plain to ye. There'll be nae skaith to yourself if I keep ye here. For frae that, I think ye'll be nae skaith to the kinty—justae mair hielantman hangit—gude kens, a guid riddance. On the ither hand, it would be considerable skaith to me if I would let you free. Sae, speakin as a good Whig, an honest freen to you, and an anxious freen to mysel, the plain fact is that I think ye'll just have to bide here wi' Andie and the solans."

"Andie," said I, laying my hand upon his knee, "this hielantman's innocent."

"Aye, it's a peety about that," said he.

"But ye see, in this world, the way God made it, we cannae just get a thing that we want."

(To be Continued.)

MUNICIPAL MATTERS.

TO THE EDITOR:—I am more convinced than ever that your strictures from time to time on the merits, or rather demerits, of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen are to the point. After a residence here of a quarter of a century, I cannot recall a set of governing men as incapable, or indifferent, or whatever you wish to call it, as the present body. There is no harmony among them; one pulls one way and another pulls the opposite, which results in useless talk and no practical good. Take the Mohun affair, for instance. It has been on the boards for months, till citizens are sick of the whole affair. It must be one of two things, Mr. Editor, for Mohun must be of some practical use, or of no use. And I venture to say that if the matter was left to any business man in the city, he would settle it one way or the other, just as any of his ordinary business affairs. So much for a democratic wisdom.

In regard to the Sewerage by-law, and others recently defeated by a tremendous majority, it is nothing less than a vote of censure or want of confidence. Mr. Beaven is Parliamentary enough to know it. Beaven at smallpox and Beaven and sewerage go hand in hand—vaillating, halting, even suborn, and ratepayers are, consequently, chary. The isolation hospital provided to be a blunder, both in structure and site, till, thank God, a few practical doctors stepped in and pointed out the defects, for which good work the medical gentlemen alone have the thanks of the community. No wonder the taxpayers are suspicious of City Hall blunders.

The civic estimates this year are producing more bickerings than ever. Ald. Belyea favors reduction in the Police department and the retention of Mr. Mohun at \$250 per month; also objects to what is considered fully necessary for the keep of prisoners, but is quite willing to vote \$500 for the adornment of the Police Magistrate's office with furniture and the purchase of books! Ald. Baker moved at a previous meeting to cut salaries above \$80, but this has dropped out of sight now. But why tire you with rock crusher, collection of water rates, etc.—and inconsistencies. The spleen of the Mayor towards our worthy Police Magistrate, is shown by the former's statement, that "the Police court fine have shown a remarkable falling off," and that "Police court Magistrate should buy his own books like a carpenter his tools." What nonsense the latter. Since the Mayor has sounded an alarm about decreased Police court fines, it would not be surprising if Chief Sheppard "rounded up" the fallen sisterhood for relief. It may be lawful, but under the circumstances would it be just?

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Superintendent.

tlemen alone have the thanks of the community. No wonder the taxpayers are suspicious of City Hall blunders.

The civic estimates this year are producing more bickerings than ever. Ald. Belyea favors reduction in the Police department and the retention of Mr. Mohun at \$250 per month; also objects to what is considered fully necessary for the keep of prisoners, but is quite willing to vote \$500 for the adornment of the Police Magistrate's office with furniture and the purchase of books! Ald. Baker moved at a previous meeting to cut salaries above \$80, but this has dropped out of sight now. But why tire you with rock crusher, collection of water rates, etc.—and inconsistencies. The spleen of the Mayor towards our worthy Police Magistrate, is shown by the former's statement, that "the Police court fine have shown a remarkable falling off," and that "Police court Magistrate should buy his own books like a carpenter his tools." What nonsense the latter. Since the Mayor has sounded an alarm about decreased Police court fines, it would not be surprising if Chief Sheppard "rounded up" the fallen sisterhood for relief. It may be lawful, but under the circumstances would it be just?

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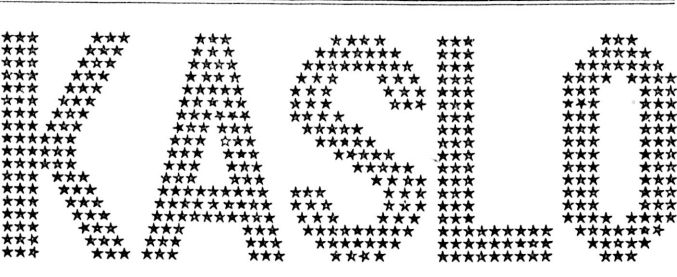
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NOTICE.

Take notice that F. G. Vernon will apply at the next sitting of the Board of License Commissioners to be held on Wednesday, the 14th day of June 1893, for a renewal of the license granted and bearing date the 22nd day of March 1893, for the vending of wines, spirits, beer or other fermented or in existing liquors by retail, in that building on the north west corner of View and Douglas streets, City of Victoria, known as the Turner or Vernon block, to be used for his purposes.

Dated this 10th day of May A.D., 1893.

The British Columbia L. and Investment Agency (Limited) agent for applicant.
my11-1m

NOTICE.

Take notice that I, Stephen O'Brien, intend at the next sitting of the Board of License Commissioners in and for the City of Victoria, B. C., and all others whom it may concern,

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NOTICE.

Application to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, to renew the license of the Rock Day hotel, situated on the corner of Work and Bridge streets. Alex. Cameron, applicant.
my9-30t

NOTICE--MUNICIPAL ACT, 1892.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, to be held on Wednesday, the 14th day of June, 1893, for a renewal of my license to sell wines, beer and spirituous liquors by retail in the premises known as the Queen's Hotel, situated at the corner of Johnson and Store streets in the City of Victoria. Dated at Victoria, B.C., May 6, 1893. Simon Leiser.
my7-30t

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, to be held on Wednesday, the 14th day of June, 1893, for a renewal of my license to sell intoxicating liquors by retail, on the premises known as the Queen's Hotel, situated at the corner of Johnson and Store streets in the City of Victoria. Dated this 11th day of May, 1893. JAMES DALRY.
my12-30t

NOTICE.

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Notice is hereby given that the "Dupont" Hospital Ambulance is now ready for service in cases of accidents, and can be obtained at the Victoria Transfer Stables.

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H. A. YATES,
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"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 1, Block XXV, Lot 7, Block XXIII, and Lot 1, Block XLIX. (Map 263). Nelson City.

Whereas the Certificate of Title of Henry Laney to the above hereditaments, bearing date the 3rd day of September, 1887, has been lost or destroyed, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate, notice is hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General,
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 17th May, 1893. my17-1m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Suburban Lots XXV. and XXVI, Esquimalt District.

Whereas the Certificate of Title of the late George Foster Foster to the above hereditaments, bearing date the 3rd day of July, 1887, has been lost or destroyed, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate, notice is hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General,
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, May 27th, 1893. 27-1m

THROUGH WEST KOOTENAY.

Trip From the Boundary at Bedlington to Revelstoke-Nelson and Its Prospects.

The Great Silver King Mine—What is Said About It—Its Facilities.

NELSON, June 5.—The Mississippi, like surroundings of the Kootenay river, cannot fail to impress the stranger travelling up this stream, from the boundary to the lake, and he would be apt to forget that he is in British Columbia, were it not that, at intervals, small clearings, through the fringe of heavy cottonwood trees, which line the banks on either side, varying in width from a few yards to an eighth of a mile, give him glimpses of towering mountain ranges. Beyond this border or fringe of timber are seen in early Spring and Autumn, great stretches of level meadow-like prairie, running back to the mountains on both sides, and following the river in varying width to the head of Kootenay lake, covering thousands of acres. These meadows are what is known as the Kootenay Valley, and are in the hands of a company, who are now at work reclaiming them by a system of dykes, originated and supervised by well-known firm of engineers, Messrs. Keefer & Smith, of Victoria. It is a great and expensive undertaking; but when completed, it will make splendid farm land, of what are now at this season, immense lakes, caused by the overflow of the Kootenay lake and river, which are unusually high at this season owing to the immense snowfall. A squatter on this land remarked that there was more money in catching houses, floating down from Bunner's Ferry, than in trying to farm the land the way it is now. This remark will convey some idea of the flooding, and also of the worthlessness of the land if not reclaimed by dyking.

Passing out of the river into the lake, mountains, not meadows, surround you, and your attention is drawn from the splendid scenery to places of call, occurring at short intervals throughout the trip. Mines and everything pertaining thereto are now almost the sole topic of conversation and attention. Pilot Bay is the first stopping place. Here are splendid wharves and buildings for smelter purposes, as yet unfinished, but constructed in a most substantial and thorough manner. It is to be hoped they will be carried on to an early completion to help meet one of the most pressing needs of the country. There cannot be less than \$200,000 already expended on this work, and when completed there will be a plant creditable alike to the owners and Province. Numerous stops, at various points, are made now at mines, here and there, for a prospector and his outfit, sometimes at a would-be townsite with a solitary hotel, store, and maybe a tent, until Alinsworth is reached. Here quite a few buildings, including a church and, presumably, a schoolhouse. It is the training place for a considerable group of miners, which are being developed, and is quite likely to become a snug little town. A number of the mines have Americans interested in them. Balfour is another point of stoppage, with a few mines tributary to it, but at present is not of much importance.

Kaslo, at present, is the most interesting point on the Lake, it being one of the landing or starting points for the great Sloacan country. It has just passed through a boom crisis in its existence and may be said to be cooling down. Its growth has been almost phenomenal. It is a good site for a town, well supplied with water, nicely situated on the Lake, with good facilities for building, having the best saw and planing mills on the Lake. A charter for a railroad has been granted to run to the mines on Sloacan Lake, but work has not yet commenced. The trip is now continued up the west arm of Kootenay Lake to Nelson, dignified and substantial, with its banks, Government offices, waterworks and telephone, not forgetting its Board of Trade, which sawy Kaslo nearly stole. Compared with other towns in Kootenay, Nelson is ahead with the best transportation facilities; accessible by C.P.R. via Revelstoke, by Great Northern via Bonner's Ferry and by Spokane Northern via Robson, over the railway from Nelson to that point. The Nelson and Port Sheppard railway, now under construction, will give an all rail route to Spokane. It is expected, by the end of the year. With all these advantages Nelson may continue to be a point of most importance in West Kootenay, notwithstanding the numerous towns that are bound to spring up in this vast mining area, but it will require something more than the location there of the banks and government offices.

It is amusing to hear the Nelsonite dilate on the Silver King. The greatest bonanza in the Kootenay district or on earth—two millions worth of ore in sight, the sale of which is now being negotiated in England for a fabulous sum. One Nelsonite, relating the history of this certainly great mine, and excusing or rather explaining the reason they were not now taking out ore, said he had been in hard luck. Just as the sale was about consummated one of the principal purchasers fell sick, and to use the Nelsonite's own words as nearly as one dare put them in print, everything was just about fixed when that darn fellow (mentioning his name) must go and lay down and die, causing untold trouble to rearrange things with the administrators of his estate, and delaying the immediate prospect of working the mine. The aggrieved tone and manner of the narrator when relating this incident of the unexcusable dying of this person was comical in the extreme. This Silver King mine is undoubtedly a great one, and justifies to a great extent, the almost conceited assurance and confidence of the Nelsonite when he tells you it is the greatest mine in the country, on the continent or on earth. It is located about six miles from Nelson by trail and nine by a wagon road built up to it. In a trip to the mine made on the 24th of May, little difficulty was experienced on the journey. Snow was met for about three and a half miles from town, and continued increasing as the ascent was made until arriving at the mine at an elevation of 5,200 feet above sea level, and 4,500 feet above Kootenay lake, the snow was six feet deep. Visitors are not permitted to see the mine, but are shown the ore sheds and other appearances. Judging from the piles of ore, the buildings and plant, one can readily believe that sufficient development work has been done to permit of an approximate estimate of its value. Notwithstanding the heavy snowfall (unusually heavy this year) there appears to be no reason why the mine cannot be worked and communication kept up the year round.

SOJOURNER.
[To be Continued.]

The much-delayed wall papers have at last arrived at Veiter Bros'. Some elegant patterns at low prices.

SUPREME COURT.

IN CHAMBERS.
(Before Mr. Justice Drake.)
June 10, 1893.

In re Copeland—Order made for payment of \$214.27 by the Registrar to Charles Hayward, in part payment of the sum of \$348, arrears of rent, 45 Quadra street.

Carmody v. Drum et al.—For commissioner to take evidence abroad. Summons dismissed, with leave to issue new summons so as to bring case up on Monday, 12th.

Carmody v. Drum et al.—For leave that defendants other than Sayward Mill and Timber Co. may amend statement of defence. Granted.

Bank of B.C. v. Lumsden Bros.—Application of defendants, Atkinson and Miller, to sign final judgment against Lumsden Bros. Summons dismissed, with leave to issue fresh summons to bring case up on Monday.

THE WORLD'S GREATEST VIRTUOSO

Edouard Remenyi's Coming Visit to Victoria—Reminiscences of the Artist's Boyhood.

His Engagement With European Sovereigns—Theatrical News and Notes.

THE fact of there being only one performance at the Victoria this week is more than compensated for by its being the first appearance in this city for over ten years of the world's greatest violin virtuoso, Edouard Remenyi.

Edouard Remenyi was born at Moskols, in Hungary, about the year 1840. His master on the violin was Joseph Bohm, who also taught the great Joseph Joachim. During the Hungarian uprising, Remenyi, then quite a boy, enlisted as a soldier and fought bravely; he became aide-de-camp to Gyorgy, when the latter was appointed Commander-in-Chief of the hero army of Hungary and though at that time a little lieutenant of sixteen summers, Remenyi used to delight the old veterans with his music and make their hearts glad and brave for the next day's fray. After the defeat of the insurgents he had to leave his country and resolved to go to England. On the way he made the acquaintance of his celebrated countryman, Franz Liszt, who, recognizing his genius, became his friend and adviser.

Soon after the young artist's arrival in London he was appointed solo violinist to the Queen. When he obtained his amnesty he returned to Hungary, where he afterwards received from the Emperor of Austria a similar distinction to that granted him in England. In the meantime he had made himself famous by numerous concerts in the European capitals. He then retired for a time from public life but in 1875 he resumed his artistic career in Paris, where he was received with great enthusiasm. His first tour of America was begun November 11, 1878, and his successes during that and the following seasons are still too fresh in the mind of the public to require comment.

Since that time he has made a triumphal tour of the entire globe, combining music with circumnavigation, and charming with dulcet strains natives of the Sandwich Islands, Australia, Tasmania, Dutch Indies, Java, India, Madras, Ceylon, China, Japan, Philippine Islands and South Africa, where he remained for a period of three years, returning to Europe for the final concerts of the tour in 1891.

It is seldom that a man is accorded the privilege of learning the exact amount of esteem in which he is held by his fellow-men by perusing his own obituary. This curious and unusual experience is an incident in the life of Remenyi, who was reported drowned during his passage from India to South Africa. The sadness which this melancholy information aroused through the civilized world was happily dispelled when six months later dispatches announced his safe arrival at the Cape of Good Hope.

Remenyi has turned his wanderings of the last twelve years to literary account, and has written a book on Japanese art, which will soon be published in London. In the selection of supporting talent to assist in his present tour, the management has exercised special care, and is highly pleased with the result, having secured an efficient and well-balanced auxiliary to the great violinist's performances in the following popular artists: Miss Minnie D. Methot, soprano; Mlle. Florence Sage, solo pianist and accompanist; and Mr. James W. Marchbank, baritone. They appear at the Victoria theatre in one of their grand concerts on Tuesday evening next, June 13, when a large and fashionable audience is assured.

Next week—Illustrated lectures on Chicago and the World's Fair, by Rev. J. E. Coombs, of Calvary Baptist church, who is expected back daily.

To-night—Religious illustrated lecture on Spiritualism, by Dr. Eddy, surnamed "the living mystagogue," assisted by Eva Eddy.

June 28—"Two Old Cronies."

Stocks in New York.

NEW YORK, June 10.—Speculation at the Stock Exchange was characterized by strength throughout the session. The success of the Northern Pacific funding plan as announced by President Olney, and the belief that the Richmond Terminal and National Cordage reorganization plans will be carried through, still added to the bullish feeling which set in after the subsidence of the excitement in Chicago early in the week. The buying movement was stimulated by the favorable reports of the railroads, St. Paul showing an increase in gross receipts for the past week of \$82,200, then again the operators most prominent on the bear side have changed front and are pronouncedly bullish on a number of leading specialties. Sales aggregated 138,612 shares, of which 19,630 were unlisted. Closing bids: Canadian Pacific, 77½; Central Pacific, 25; Denver and Rio Grande, 14½; Wells Fargo Express, 140; Great Northern, preferred, 114½; Missouri Pacific, 36½; Northern Pacific, 18½; do. preferred, 36½; North-western, 107; Oregon Navigation, 60; Oregon Improvement, 12; Pacific Mail, 106½; Texas Pacific, 7½; Union Pacific, 30½; Western Union, 84; Northern Pacific com. 55.64½; do Oregon Improvement, 52½; bar silver, 82½; North American, 9.

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SISTER SOCIETIES.

Delegates Leave To-morrow Night for the Grand Lodge Meeting, K. of P., on Tuesday.

Fraternal Visit of I. O. O. F. Lodge—Proposed Picnic in July at Port Haney.

Delegates to the meeting of the Grand Lodge, K. of P., will leave to-morrow (Monday) night for the Main land, so as to be on hand for the opening of the session on Tuesday, June 14. Far West lodge representatives are W. Duck, S. Webber and Stroud L. Redgrave; those of Sunset lodge being Chas. E. Jones, W. J. Dwyer and George Madigan. Grand Master-at-Arms Byrnes will also be present, but Grand Chancellor Hughes is detained in Kootenay by business and cannot attend. The business to be considered is generally important, but not so much so that the convention will be unduly prolonged.

Arrangements have been made by local Knights for decorating the graves of their departed brethren at Ross Bay cemetery on the last Sunday in this month, the 25th. It is expected there will be a large attendance from Nanaimo, Northfield and Wellington, it having been proposed to have a special train run down on that day. Decoration day is an event of very great meaning in Pythian lodges, and is largely participated in. To-day at Nanaimo the local lodges will decorate the graves of their dead, invitations having been extended to Victoria lodges to send representatives. Brother Turner Townsend is going up from here, and any local member wishing to send flowers will leave them at the E. & N. station this morning.

At Friday night's meeting of Far West lodge the rank of Knight was conferred. Two candidates were also given the same rank at Tuesday evening's meeting of Sunset lodge.

I. O. O. F.

At the regular meeting of Columbia lodge, No. 2, on Wednesday evening, in the absence of the Noble Grand, who was sick, the chair was taken by Bro. Geo. Wilby, vice grand, who performed the duties of presiding officer in a very creditable manner. A fraternal visit from the officers and members of Dominion lodge was expected, but as only a few of No. 4's members showed up, the Noble Grand and a small delegation came in as ordinary visitors, and not as representatives of their lodge. During the evening a brother was advanced to the third degree and admitted to full membership in the order. A brother was also invested with the second degree, the team officiating. It was resolved that a fraternal visit be paid to Dominion lodge, No. 4, on the evening of June 22.

Victoria lodge No. 1 met as usual on Monday evening with a very fair attendance. As usual in this lodge, quite a deal of business was gone through with. One brother was advanced to the third degree. The following are the elected officers for the next term: T. M. Jones, N. G.; J. Lawson, V. G.; Fred Davey, R. and P. S., and P. A. Phillips, treasurer.

The general relief committee held their regular monthly meeting on Monday evening. Very little business was transacted outside of ordinary routine.

Vancouver Esquimaux No. 1 met on Tuesday evening, when two candidates received the first degree and one the second. A motion to amend the by-laws to reduce the dues to \$6 per year was carried.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Odd Fellows' Union, composed of delegates of No. 1, No. 2 and No. 4 lodges in the city, was held last evening, when business was transacted; also instructions given to the trustees to carry out some alterations in the lighting and sanitary conditions of the hall.

Canton Victoria No. 1, P. M., held its regular meeting last night. After the regular business the members were drilled.

A. O. U. W.

A combination picnic to be participated in by New Westminster, Surrey, Chilliwack and Port Haney lodges will be held on July 1 at Port Haney. This is expected to be the largest gathering of Workmen ever held in the province, and will be attended also by representatives of Victoria lodges. Special transportation arrangements are being made, so that all will be able to attend at moderate expense and conveniently also.

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Notice of Sale by Sheriff

PURSUANT TO THE "EXECUTION ACT, 1874"
In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

James Holroyd, Plaintiff;
Eliza Ann Heywood (Administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased), Defendant.

IN OBEDIENCE to a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, at Victoria, on the 24th day of May, 1893, and to me directed, of the estate, title and interest of the above-named Joseph Heywood, deceased, to levy \$3,707.25, and \$3.50 for costs of execution, etc., and also interest on \$3,661.50 at six per centum per annum from the 24th day of May, 1893, until payment; also the British Columbia Land and Investment Agency, Limited, v. Eliza Ann Heywood (Administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased), deceased, to levy \$1,849.31, and \$7.00 for costs of execution, etc., and also interest on \$1,849.31 at six per centum per annum from the 24th day of May, 1893, until payment; also James Reid v. Eliza Ann Heywood (Administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased), deceased, to levy \$3,912.67, and \$7.00 for costs of execution, etc., and also interest on \$3,912.67 at six per centum per annum from the 24th day of May, 1893, until payment; also the Bank of British North America v. Eliza Ann Heywood (Administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased), deceased, to levy \$18,855.15, and \$7.00 for costs of execution, etc., and also interest on \$18,855.15 at six per centum per annum from the 24th day of May, 1893, until payment; also the Sheriff's poundage, to be and other expenses of the executions above named I have seized and will sell at public auction in front of my office, Court House, Bastion Street, Victoria, on Tuesday, the 20th day of June, 1893, at 12 o'clock noon, the estate, title and interest in the lands above named of the said Joseph Heywood, deceased, as described in this advertisement, or sufficient thereof to satisfy the said judgment debt and costs.

No. of Lot.	Concise Description of Property.	Where to be Sold.	At the Sheriff's Office, Court House, Bastion Street, Victoria.
Victoria City.	Lot 1 of Section II, Beckley Farm, 2 1/2 acres, more or less, situate in the Township of Esquimalt, District of Victoria.	When to be Sold.	Tuesday, June 20th, 1893.

J. E. McMillan, Sheriff.

LAND REGISTRY OFFICE, VICTORIA.

31st day of May, 1893, 3 o'clock p.m.

I hereby certify as follows:—
1. That excepting judgments (if any) no charge appears registered or applied for against Lot No. 315 Victoria City, the title to which is registered in the name of Joe Heywood.

2. That excepting judgments (if any) no charge appears registered or applied for against Lot No. 162, the title to which is registered in the name of Joe Heywood.

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6. That the following judgment appears registered against the real estate of Joseph Heywood, viz:—

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Notice of Sale by Sheriff

PURSUANT TO THE "EXECUTION ACT, 1874"
In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Lowie & Strauss, Plaintiff;
Katherine Holz (by original action) and George Stelly, the younger, and Hugh Howesby Willson Alkman, executors of the estate of Katherine Holz, deceased, by order to carry on the proceedings, Defendants.

IN OBEDIENCE to a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, at Victoria, on the 15th day of May, 1893, and to me directed, of the estate, title and interest of the above-named Katherine Holz, deceased, to levy \$2,222.13, for costs of writ against goods, \$1.50, for costs of execution, etc., of this writ, \$2.00; and also interest on \$2,222.13 from the 15th day of May, 1893, until payment, besides Sheriff's poundage, officers' fees, and other legal and incidental expenses, I have seized and will sell at public auction in front of my office, Court House, Bastion Street, Victoria, on Tuesday, the 20th day of June, 1893, at 12 o'clock noon, the lands belonging to the said Katherine Holz, deceased, as described in this advertisement, or sufficient thereof to satisfy the said judgment debt and costs.

No. of Lot.	Concise Description of Property.	Where to be Sold.	At the Sheriff's Office, Court House, Bastion Street, Victoria.
Victoria City.	Lot 1 of Section II, Beckley Farm, 2 1/2 acres, more or less, situate in the Township of Esquimalt, District of Victoria.	When to be Sold.	Tuesday, June 20th, 1893.

J. E. McMillan, Sheriff.

LAND REGISTRY OFFICE, VICTORIA.

May 24th, 1893, 4 o'clock p.m.

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